

## PREDICT SCHOLLES WILL FILL SPEAKER'S CHAIR

### PEORIA MAN IS EXPECTED TO LAND PLACE ON FIRST BALLOT TODAY

Republican "Dry" Are Responsible for Movement, Notwithstanding Fact that Scholles is an Avowed "Wet"—Predict Tighter Deadlock if Peoria is not Elected.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—Robert Scholles, first term Republican from Peoria, will be given a tryout for speaker of the house tomorrow. The Scholles boom, which has been simmering the last two weeks, began to boil with the first arrivals among the law makers today and tonight predictions were free that the Peoria man will fill the speaker's chair before noon tomorrow.

#### Republican "Dry" Responsible.

Republican "drys" are responsible for the Scholles movement, notwithstanding the fact that the new candidate is an avowed "wet," a number of Republicans who are antagonistic to him upon this issue have declared they are ready to vote for him as the most available man in the situation. This contingent of "drys," however, does not include those who are tied with pledges to the Anti-Saloon League. This organization has not given its endorsement to Scholles and those Republicans who signed the anti-saloon league pledge are not counted upon to support his candidacy.

Scholles won the friendship of the "drys" of his party by his action last week. When the Democratic "wets" started a movement in support of the Peoria man, with the idea of electing him through a bi-partisan combination Scholles promptly announced that he would not accept the place under such circumstances. Later when the William J. Graham boom was launched, Scholles was one of the first Republicans aboard and he stuck by Graham on every ballot throughout the session.

#### Expect Scholles Election Today.

Members of the band of seventeen Republican "wets" who threw the wrench into the machinery when Walter M. Provine of Taylorville, was the Republican nominee, said last week that Scholles was satisfactory to them and that they were ready to vote for him for speaker. Unless they change front tomorrow and refuse to vote for Scholles, leaders in the movement behind his candidacy expect to see him elected on the first roll call of the day.

Opposition to Scholles has developed among those Republicans who have been nursing the Shanahan candidacy. The antagonism is based upon his inexperience in legislative matters. The report was persistent circulated tonight that after the experience of two years ago when a first term was chosen to preside over the house, several of the old members would not support any first term.

#### Will Not Vote for Shanahan.

To counteract the effect of this cry some of the "dry" Republicans are urging the election of the Peoria man declared tonight that they would not vote for Shanahan under any circumstances and predicted that if Scholles is not elected tomorrow the situation will be tied tighter than at any time since the alloting started.

The conference of Democratic house members called by Lee O'Neill rowne for this afternoon did not materialize. Only a few Democratic members were on hand and no effort was made together was made. Browne made the prediction tonight that Shanahan will be elected speaker tomorrow. He declined to say whether the Democratic "wets" would throw their support to him again after Shanahan's declaration last week that he would not accept the speaker'ship with the aid of Democratic votes.

## OLDS POWER CONCERNS OCCUPY GOVERNMENT LAND ILLEGALLY

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 15.—Judge Marshall of the United States district court ordered a decree today holding that the Utah Power and Light company and the River Power company are illegally occupying government land and enjoining such further occupancy. The property involved is said to be worth about \$15,000,000 and consists of power plants, transmission lines, reservoirs and machinery in the Cache, Filmore and Wasatch National Forests of Utah. The suits have been pending about three years. Attorneys for the defendants announced that they would appeal directly to the United States supreme court as the constitutionality of a federal statute is held to be involved in the cases.

#### STIFF JUDGE WAS

PREJUDICED  
Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 15.—That derelict Judge Alston G. Dayton of northern district of West Virginia was prejudiced against labor was the burden of most of the testimony heard today by the gressional sub-committee investigating charges against the jurist. A sudden resignation of Judge Dayton in Jackson, Judge Dayton's decessor, was also touched upon witnesses, the most of whom were members of labor unions. Judge Dayton's alleged connection with the local Carbon company was also touched before the committee.

## FEDERAL OFFICIALS EXTEND QUARANTINE REGULATIONS

Shipments of Livestock Out of Area North of Tennessee and East of the Mississippi, Except For Slaughter Within 48 Hours, Are Prohibited.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Foot and mouth disease quarantine regulations were extended by the department of agriculture today so as to include all the territory east of the Mississippi and north of Tennessee in a restricted area out of which no shipments of livestock, except for slaughter within 48 hours will be permitted to the south or west.

All of the great slaughtering centers are located in the restricted territory and there is little shipping of live cattle out of it, but the new order was deemed necessary to protect the stock producing sections from infection.

#### Add Two Important Regulations.

Two important new regulations were added today, one defining "immediate slaughter" as used in existing orders, and "within forty-eight hours" and another prohibiting the transportation of livestock in any part of the United States after Feb. 17th except in disinfected cars.

Owing to the fact that few or no cases of foot and mouth disease have been found in Virginia, West Virginia, Vermont, Maine and the District of Columbia, stock owners in these jurisdictions will be permitted under the revised regulations to ship out stock on affidavits.

#### Will Reduce Hog Sales.

East St. Louis, Ill., Feb. 15.—Hog sales and receipts here will be cut about fifty percent and cattle business about twenty percent as a result of today's foot and mouth quarantine orders from Washington. It was stated by officials of the St. Louis National Stock Yards tonight.

The orders received here from the department of agriculture were interpreted as prohibiting the reshipment of livestock to any point in the country except for slaughter within twenty-four hours. Fifty carloads of cattle and hogs which were shipped earlier in the day tonight were ordered returned to the local yards.

## FAVOR LEGISLATIVE PROBE OF REQUEST OF RAILROADS

Springfield Commercial Association Hears Argument for Increase in State Passenger Fare Rate.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—After hearing representatives of the railroad of the state argue in favor of legislation which would advance the present Illinois passenger fare rate from two cents to two and one-half cents a mile, members of the Springfield commercial association today adopted a resolution favoring a legislative investigation of the railroad request. Following is the resolution:

"Resolved, That in view of the fact that the inter-state commerce commission of the United States in their decision on July 25th, 1914, reported the opinion that there is need for additional passenger revenues, we believe the facts that the railroads have to submit on this question of rates should be carefully considered by our legislature and justice done between the railroads and the people of this state."

The railroad men said they were asking for a living wage for service performed.

## DARNELL OBTAINS MARRIAGE LICENSE TO WED RUTH SOPER

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—James M. Darnell, former pastor of a Kenosha, Wis. church, whose resignation recently was accepted, today obtained a marriage license to wed Miss Ruth Soper, who had been introduced in Kenosha as his wife. Darnell left Kenosha when Doris Vaughn of Chicago went to Kenosha and announced that she was the minister's wife. She later obtained a divorce from Darnell. In his application for a license at Crown Point, Ind. today, Darnell said he had been married once and divorced once. Ruth Soper has never been married, according to the terms of the license.

#### PASS PARI-MUTUAL BILL.

Carson City, Nev., Feb. 15.—The pari-mutual bill amending the anti-gambling law, so as to legalize betting on horse races under the Pari-mutual system was passed by the assembly 38 to 12 this afternoon.

It now goes to Governor Boyle for signature.

#### PATTON WILL NOT TESTIFY.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—James A. Patton, broker, who has been asked by the New York authorities if he will come there to testify in connection with the high price of wheat and flour, told an audience tonight that he was tired of hearing of investigations and said he wouldn't go to New York to testify. He was speaking at a meeting of manufacturers whom he criticized severely for not taking a more active interest in politics.

#### WILLIAMS OUTFIGHTS MURRAY.

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—"Kid" Williams, the Bantam weight champion, outfought Jimmy Murray of New York in a six round bout here tonight. Murray fought hard all the way but was not as clever as the champion.

## DR. CARRIEL RESIGNS FROM POSITION

### WILL SURRENDER SUPERINTENDENCY OF STATE HOSPITAL HERE

Action Brought About by Differences of Opinion With Members of the State Board of Administration—Has Filled Position Satisfactorily for Many Years.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—Differences with the state board of administration over the length of time state employees should be compelled to work led to the resignation today of Dr. H. B. Carriel, for fifteen years superintendent of the Jacksonville State Hospital. Governor Dunne appointed Dr. E. L. Hill of Red Bud to the vacancy, to take effect about March 1st.

Recently the state board of administration has been trying to enforce an eight hour work day rule for the employees of state institutions. Dr. Carriel was said to have been opposed to the short hours. Dr. Carriel's father held the position before him for many years.

The above despatch from Springfield sent out by the Associated Press was made no doubt upon information given out by the State Board of Administration. Dr. Carriel was not at the hospital here last night but was reached by the Journal in Peoria. Asked as to the cause of his resignation he declined to make any statement. From other sources however it was learned that the alleged differences relative to hours of service did not bring about the resignation.

The matter of eight hours work has been discussed by Dr. Carriel and the board members but there has been an understanding that it would be impossible to put the eight hour plan into effect until the appropriations for the next two years are available which will not be until next July. The money now on hand is not sufficient to permit the rule to become effective as a large expense for additional help would result.

Nothing is known locally of Dr. Hill who has been appointed to the superintendency but it is understood that a year ago he took the civil service for a position at Chester and did not meet the requirements.

## TELLS OF OATH TAKEN WHILE A MEMBER OF MASTER PLUMBERS

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 15.—An oath of allegiance to the National Association of Master Plumbers of America containing the sentence "may all the horrors of the damned by my portion when I retire at night" was declared by Joseph Hagen of Sioux City to have once received his signature in his testimony at the trial of the thirty-six Masters Plumbers, charged with violation of the Sherman law, in the United States district court here today. He was to suffer the "horrors of the damned" in case he violated the rules of the organization, the witness said. Each member, he testified, was sworn to the utmost secrecy.

C. L. Piper of Morningside, Iowa for the government testified that he had been put out of the association because he refused to go in to "certain pools."

#### LABORER SHOTS TWO;

IS SHOT BY POLICE

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 15.—Richard Imento, a laborer, late today entered the office of A. M. Lee, assistant general claim agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, shot and killed Charles Dryden, Mr. Lee's chief clerk and shot and probably fatally wounded R. E. Patton, another clerk in the office. Imento, who was also known as Nicholas Kolomenen, was shot and probably fatally wounded by the police.

The shooting followed Dryden's refusal to give Imento fifty cents. Imento had been visiting the claim agent's office several weeks demanding compensation for an injury received on the railroad in Montana a few months ago.

#### DES MOINES SALOONS CLOSE.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 15.—Eighty-six saloons in Des Moines and two in Valley Junction closed their doors tonight at 6 o'clock. Several of the grog shops closed earlier in the day, after having sold out all their supply. No scenes of disorder on the streets were experienced and the police reported few arrests for intoxication. The saloons are allowed until Friday to prepare their stocks for shipment out of the state.

#### PALMER BILL PASSES HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The Palmer bill to bar products of child labor from inter-state commerce was passed by the house tonight by a vote of 232 to 44 after a lively debate and the issuance of a writ of arrest for absentees to suppress a filibuster. The bill now goes to the senate.

#### IS GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE.

Galesburg, Feb. 15.—Harrison Markwell who was charged with killing William Aiken and William A. Bates, slayer of Mrs. E. K. Davis and Mildred Warfield were today sentenced to life imprisonment. The crimes were committed Jan. 6th.

## War News Summarized

As the time approaches for putting into effect the German declaration of a war zone in the waters around the British Isles, interest in this particular phase of the campaign is becoming more intense. Germany reiterates its determination to carry out its declaration in spirit and in fact. The Netherlands has sent a note of protest to the German government, couched in language similar to that of the United States, in which it declares it will hold Germany responsible should any Dutch ship be attacked and sunk.

At the same time the Netherlands government, in a note to Great Britain, contends that the use of a neutral flag on a large scale and by the direct sanction of the belligerent government would be an abuse of such flag.

The German ambassador at Washington has delivered a note to the United States, which has been transmitted to Great Britain, in which Germany offers to recede from her plan of destroying enemy merchant ships if restrictions placed by the allies on shipments of conditional contraband and foodstuffs destined for the civilian population of Germany are removed.

A rumor comes from Berlin by way of Amsterdam and London that the German ambassador to the United States, Count Von Bernstorff, has been summoned to the German capital. This was denied by the embassy at Washington.

Unofficially it is announced from Berlin that Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's third battle in East Prussia is likely to prove more disastrous to the Russians than the others. Forty thousand Russians are reported to have been captured and Prussia is now said to have been cleared of the invaders.

## RENEWED EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS OCCUR IN CENTRAL ITALY

One is Killed and Six Injured at Nazzano—Cittaducale is Entirely Wrecked.

Rome, Feb. 15.—(9:40 p. m.)—Renewed earthquake shocks occurred today in parts of the district in central Italy visited by seismic disturbances several weeks ago. One person was killed and six persons were injured in the collapse of a house at Nazzano. At Rocca Sinibaldi the belfry of the convent of Santa Maria fell upon several houses, burying ten persons. Cittaducale was entirely wrecked and at Veroli several houses were rendered uninhabitable.

Since the recent disaster the district almost daily has been shaken by earth shocks. Today's disturbance occurred at ten minutes after two o'clock this morning but it was only this evening that it was learned that much damage had resulted and that at least one fatality had occurred.

The population of Cittaducale is camping in the open air despite the torrential rain that is falling. There are about 2,000 people in the town, which is in the province of Aquila, five miles east of Rieta.

## TAKES CLAIM AGAINST ROAD TO STATE SUPREME COURT

Michaelson Seeks to Recover For Original Paintings and Cartoons Lost While in Custody of Union Pacific.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 5.—Whether five cents a pound, including frames, is proper compensation for original paintings and cartoons by eminent American artists was argued today before the state supreme court.

Charles Michaelson, war correspondent and former San Francisco newspaperman, appeared through counsel, to say it was not. He objected to an award of \$361 for the loss of paintings by Frederic Remington and cartoons by Homer Davenport. These disappeared between Ogden, Utah, and Chicago, while in custody of the Union Pacific railroad.

The municipal court of Cook county took a more expensive view of the western art. It awarded Michaelson \$7,568 but the appellate court cut this to \$361, representing allowance of five dollars per hundred weight, the liability said to have been set forth in the original bill of lading. Both artists are dead.

#### SEAMAN INJURED WHILE BOXING DIES.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 15.—A. V. Brown, a seaman on the Cruiser North Dakota at the Puget Sound navy yards, died today from injuries received yesterday while boxing on the Cruiser West Virginia with Clarence Salmon, another seaman. A blow behind the left ear rendered Brown unconscious. Brown's home was in Dallas, Texas. Naval authorities held that Salmon was blameless in connection with Brown's death.

#### DUNNE OFFERS REWARD.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—Governor Dunne today offered a reward of \$200 for the arrest and conviction of Robert, alias "Kid" Mason, alleged to have killed Patrolman John B. Sausman at Chicago, Jan. 6th.

## GERMANS CONTINUE TO PRESS RUSSIAN FORCES

### CZAR'S ARMY PLANS TO ASSUME DEFENSIVE ON OWN TERRITORY

Prussians Claim Progress in Bukovina—Take Thousand Yards or Trenches South of Ypres—Allies Capture Trenches Between Bethune and LaBasse.

London, Feb. 15.—(11:20 p. m.)—The sustained Austro-German pressure on the eastern front, with the admission by Petrograd that the Russians plan to assume the defensive on their own territory, is a feature of the military situation.

The Germans claim to have made progress in Bukovina and unofficial advices from Budapest even say that the Austrians have swept as far east as Czernowitz, although the latest official communication from Vienna does not so state. However, it is claimed that Nadworna, in southeastern Galicia, has been occupied by them. There is noteworthy change in the western theatre. The Germans took about a thousand yards of trenches south of Ypres but the allies partially balanced this by capturing about 300 yards between Bethune and LaBasse.

Interest Centers on Blockade.  
The British public is centering its interest just now in the outcome of the German so-called blockade of British waters, due to begin on Thursday, with special reference to its effect on neutral shipping.

The speeches in the house of commons of David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, and Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, the former explaining the concerted financial plans of the allies and the latter reviewing the naval situation and promising the utmost endeavors to cut off all German food supplies temporarily overshadowed the war news.

The Royal Dutch Steamship company today suspended service to Harve on account of the German threat and according to Berlin despatches all the Dutch shipping companies have decided to suspend service to England after Feb. 18th. The British Steamship Wavelet from Pensacola struck a mine in the English channel. The loss of life numbers twelve and the steamer was beached.

## TO USE OWN DISCRETION IN REGARD TO LEAVING MEXICO

Practically All Foreign Diplomats in Mexico City Have Been So Instructed by Their Governments.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Practically all the foreign diplomatic representatives in Mexico City have been instructed by their governments to use their own discretion about leaving the capital, according to an announcement by Secretary Bryan. The British and Italian ambassador inquired of the state department during the day as to advice from Mexico, reflecting the anxiety of their governments over the situation in Mexico City where food is scarce and the water supply cut off. The situation has been further complicated by the decree of General Carranza that none of his subordinate military chiefs shall discuss diplomatic questions. This deprives the diplomatic corps in Mexico City of the privilege of dealing with General Obregon or the defacto authorities in Mexico City. The only alternative held out to them for discussing diplomatic matters with the Carranza government is to visit to Vera Cruz which they are unwilling to make unless it be construed as formal recognition. Some of the embassies here understand that the diplomats in Mexico City have an agreement that if they leave Mexico City they will leave the country entirely.

#### PLAN TO PASS BILLS

ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 15.—A week from today, Washington's birthday, will be a red letter day in the house of the Iowa legislature if plans formulated by the "dry" leaders today are carried out. On that day they propose to pass the Clark bill for the repeal of the malt tax law, the Wilson-Thomas prohibitory amendment and the Allen suffrage amendment.

The quarrel between the state board of health and the university over the making of water analysis for Iowa City will be settled if a bill introduced today by Representative Taylor and Senator Enger becomes a law.

#### WELSH DEFEATS ANDERSON

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 15.—Freddie Welsh, light weight champion, easily defeated Jimmy Anderson of Indianapolis here tonight in a six round bout. Welsh landed almost at will all through the contest and the Indianapolis man never had a chance. In the fourth round Anderson did his best work, but his rally was smothered by Welsh's vicious swings.

#### TO ASK GOVERNOR

OF IOWA FOR INCREASE

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 15.—Six Iowa railroads will be represented in the party which will call on Governor Clarke tomorrow to present the formal request of the railroads for an advance from 2 to 2 1/2 cents a mile in passenger fares. The committee will meet at three o'clock with the railroad committees of the house and senate to place the proposition before them.

## WANT EXPERTS IN INSANITY CASES PAID BY THE STATE

Physicians at Medical Association Meeting Say Expert Testimony in Such Cases is a Scandal—To Seek Passage of Bill.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Expert testimony in insanity cases has passed beyond a joke to a scandal, according to physicians at the eleventh annual conference of the American Medical association today in adopting a bill they will seek to have introduced in each state legislature. The purpose of the measure will be to discontinue the present tendency of experts to voice opinions favorable to whichever side of the case may be their employer. The bill would have from one to three experts summoned by the court and paid by the state.

#### Appellate Court Judge Speaks.

The results of expert witnesses presented either go beyond the knowledge of the experts or these experts do not voice their own opinions," said Judge Albert G. Barnes of the appellate court here. "The alienist is usually brought in where the use of the insanity plea is really an appeal to the unwritten law. It would be better for lawyers and doctors not to have such a defense than that your profession and mine should enter conspiracy against the truth."

"The time will come when a jury in insane cases will be composed of experts of physiologists who are lawyers and doctors," said Victor C. Vaughn of Ann Arbor, president of the association. It is absurd to put the question of a person's sanity to a jury of twelve laymen. I could almost say that no honest man dares face a jury and no crook fears one. "For another thing it is absurd to sentence a degenerate or insane to confinement and then leave it to a soft hearted warden or soft headed pardon board to turn him loose to feed on the community and reproduce his kind."

Plan to End Preventable Blindness.  
A model bill approved by the association planned to end preventable blindness in children makes every one connected with the birth of a child responsible for failure to use an accepted medical treatment at time of birth.

Tomorrow the association will discuss a model bill for the regulation and supervision of all persons who treat sickness of any kind. It provides that no person shall be granted a license who has not a proper preliminary education and cannot prove that he has spent at least four years in personal attendance at some accepted school.

## LUCY HOLDS THAT SEPARATE ELECTIONS ARE NECESSARY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 15.—Illinois municipalities which have the commission form of government cannot hold an election for the office of police magistrate at the same time that general city officers are elected. Attorney General Lucy so announced today in response to many inquiries. The office of police magistrate comes under the general elections act and has a four year tenure and the attorney general holds that an election apart from the general city election is necessary.

The attorney general also has informed inquirers that all municipalities not under the commission form of government must hold primary elections.

## DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS COMITS ITSELF TO COMPROMISE BILL

Rules Committee Will Report Special Rule to House for Consideration of Ship Bill.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The Democratic caucus of the house at 2:30 this morning (Tuesday), committed itself to the administration compromise ship purchase bill by a vote of 154 to 29. No record vote was taken.

Seventeen Democrats in the caucus announced their intention of voting against the bill despite the caucus action, taking advantage of exceptions granted under the caucus rules.

The rules committee under the caucus direction will meet at 10:30 o'clock today and half an hour later will report to the house a special rule for the consideration of the ship bill which will be passed before the house adjourns.

#### U. OF I. DEFEATS MINNESOTA.

Minneapolis, Feb. 15.—The University of Illinois basketball team tonight defeated the University of Minnesota team 20 to 10 in a western conference game here.



Washington, Feb. 15.—Illinois Fair Tuesday; Wednesday fair and warmer.

#### Temperatures.

| The current maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Monday were: |          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Jacksonville                                                       | 35 43 33 |
| Boston                                                             | 52 56 36 |
| Buffalo                                                            | 32 42 34 |
| New York                                                           | 50 60 42 |
| New Orleans                                                        | 62 66 66 |
| Chicago                                                            | 32 35 32 |
| Detroit                                                            | 32 34 34 |
| Omaha                                                              | 28 30 24 |
| St. Paul                                                           | 18 26 24 |
| Helena                                                             | 34 42 20 |
| San Francisco                                                      | 58 62 50 |
| Winnipeg                                                           | 12 18 7  |

## GERMANY OFFERS TO RECEDE FROM HER PLAN

### DELIVERS NOTE TO UNITED STATES WHICH IS TRANSMITTED TO ENGLAND

Would Abandon Proposal to Destroy Enemy Merchantmen if Allies Remove Restrictions on Shipments of Conditional Contraband and Foodstuffs to Civilians.

Washington, Feb. 15.—With only three days remaining before the German admiralty proposed to carry into effect its proclamation ordering a submarine campaign on enemy merchant ships, developments in the diplomatic situation moved rapidly today through the medium of the United States government, custodian of the diplomatic interests of the various belligerents.

Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador delivered a note to the United States, which was promptly transmitted to Great Britain, in which Germany offered to recede from her plan of destroying enemy merchant ships if restrictions placed by the allies on shipments of conditional contraband and foodstuffs destined to the civilian population of Germany were removed.

#### To Strew Mines Around England.

Otherwise, the note announced, Germany proposes to put into effect the original proclamation, adding also the strewing of mines in waters surrounding Great Britain and Ireland. Alleged arming of British merchant vessels is given by the German government as ground for attacking enemy merchant ships without search or previous visit, regarding merchant craft hereafter as in the category of warships. The ambassador's communication was sent from Berlin before the recent American note was delivered by Ambassador Gerard and is supplemental to the German foreign office memorandum on the subject of the new war zones.

#### Lay Reply Before Wilson.

At the same time the German ambassador conferred with Secretary Bryan and Counsellor Lansing, the complete text of the British reply to the American note of protest on neutral shipping, dated Dec. 26, was received. It was laid before President Wilson, besides giving statistics on neutral commerce and entering a general denial that there had been any unwarranted interference with legitimate shipments, the new note contains a statement from Great Britain that the recent government decree taking over the flour and grain supply in Germany required added precautions on the part of the allies that conditional contraband might not be permitted to reach the armed forces of the enemy. The document constitutes a further statement of the British government on the legal questions involved. The full text will not be given out until after an agreement for publication is reached with the British foreign office.

Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, discussed the situation with the state department officials. On all sides, it is admitted here, that the developments of the last few days present a most serious situation for American commerce. Administration officials think that even though assurances are given eventually by Germany that neutral ships will not be attacked the effect of the war zone proclamation will be to intimidate American shippers and reduce American exports.

#### May Make Pronounced Statement.

That the next step by the United States may be a pronounced statement to Great Britain on the subject of conditional contraband was indicated at the state department today. The American government in its first note argued strongly for unrestricted shipment of conditional contraband when destined to non-combatants. The British preliminary reply did not oppose this evidence but said an acceptance could not be given on account of Germany's alleged inhumane practices.

It was believed here today that the American government might seek an understanding on the question of foodstuffs with both Germany and Great Britain with the hope that it might avert the submarine dangers to neutral ships.

#### GIVE CASE TO JURY.

East St. Louis, Ill., Feb. 15.—The case of six former municipal officials of East St. Louis charged with alleged conspiracy to defraud the city of \$100,000 was given to the jury tonight after a trial lasting about ten days. R. V. Gustin, assistant states attorney, told the jury the testimony did not actually incriminate former Mayor C. S. Lambert or former Comptroller J. J. Faulkner as members of the alleged conspiracy and asked for their acquittal.

#### URGES ADDITIONAL

APPROPRIATION

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 15.—Governor W. C. McDonald, in a message to the legislature today, urged an additional appropriation to defray further expenses and cover a deficit in the matter of maintaining New Mexico's claims in the boundary dispute with Texas.

New Mexico lays claim to some 25,000 acres of land between the Paso and Las Cruces along the Rio Grande. Alleged changing of the channel of the river has given rise to the controversy.





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### Insurance—A Big Question.

Illinois railroad officials are coming to Jacksonville one day this week for the purpose of discussing with the people the reasons that they maintain justly them in asking for an increase in passenger fares in Illinois. Now comes the announcement that an organizer and speaker for the Illinois Insurance Federation is also to visit Jacksonville this week, when a public meeting will be held for the purpose of telling the people why present insurance rates are not unreasonable and why it would be very bad thing for the state of Illinois to embark in the insurance business.

While the average citizen does not believe that the railroads are justified in asking an increase in passenger rates, having the feeling that certain economies practiced in other lines should make it possible to continue the present two cent fare, and while it is also true that the average citizen has a lurking feeling that fire insurance business is managed somewhat along trust lines, certainly audiences should be given the railroad and insurance men, with open minds ready to give proper credence to all explanations and due consideration to the figures and arguments produced.

The public as a whole has very little knowledge of the insurance business and in fact it is a large and intricate business, which even the agents frequently do not thoroughly understand. For all the companies to be legislated out of Illinois and for the state to take over the business would undoubtedly result in a vast amount of commercial uncertainty and a general upheaval, and it is doubtful if such a course will be determined upon. Insurance is essential to business, and to limit the amount of insurance that a firm or corporation can carry or secure has a large bearing upon the credit of such firm or corporation.

In the state of Missouri an effort was made to drive the insurance companies from the state but the experiment was not satisfactory. That was practically the history of insurance agitation in Kentucky. That there are certain abuses which have grown up in the course of a large business some of the insurance men will admit; that these abuses can be corrected by a legislative or public inquiry is possible, and if such an inquiry can bring this to pass it should be provided for.

The majority of the people will probably not be in a hurry to say that it is desirable for the state to take over insurance business, but the majority of the people will want the insurance companies to show that the insurers in the state of Illinois are not paying more for their insurance than is charged in other states, and that the profits made for carrying insurance at present rates are not in excess of what should be in the conduct of the average business.

It will be remembered that the agitation against life insurance companies a few years ago brought out the fact that there were abuses and that reforms were needed, and these reforms eventually came to pass. So it may be that there are abuses and defects in the present system of business employed by the life insurance companies in this state and that reforms are desirable but thus far the case has not been proven. The people and the companies have a right to a fair hearing.

### The People With the President.

The announced policy of the administration following a conference of President Wilson and the cabinet Sunday is to do three things. First, to protect American citizens and property abroad; second, the maintenance of the strictest neutrality; and third, to comport this country's affairs in strict accordance with international law.

In this country, with its cosmopolitan population, made up so largely of people of at least foreign ancestry, "the great melting pot of Europe," there naturally follow very diverse opinions as to the merits of the present conflict in Europe and the possible outcome. But the course of the administration thus far and the announced policy for the future should and will receive the hearty support and co-operation of every citizen of the United States.

As someone has said, the people of this country realize that this is not a time to take offense easily, and that the situation demands that points of honor be considered with great latitude. The United States situated in the delicate position that it is today, cannot afford on its own account or on account of the rest of the world, to take hasty action along any line, and the policy of the administration to seek above all things else a line of action which will make it certain that the United States becomes in no way involved in the conflict, deserves nothing but commendation and support.

There are 66,000,000 people in

the United States and to a man they can be depended upon to back up the head of the nation in any effort, first of all to keep this country clear from conflict, and secondly to have this country when the opportunity offers, use its influence and good offices for bringing to a close the greatest and most arduous conflict waged, certainly for many decades, possibly in history. The people, in war matters, now know no party lines and are the staunch, unflinching supporters of the president with full confidence in his patriotism and leadership.

### The Proposed Grain Embargo.

The demand that the government issue an embargo preventing shipments of wheat to Europe has taken some formal shape by the filing of the report of the commission appointed by Mayor Mitchell of New York which suggests that such an embargo is highly desirable and necessary. George W. Perkins is the chairman of the commission which makes this report to Mayor Mitchell, and it is said further that the varying market without any apparent reason indicates that the high prices are caused not only by shipment abroad but manipulation.

It is showing the past three months has been considerably in excess of the amounts shipped during the previous thirty months, but it is the belief of the commission that there has been a manipulation of prices as well. The commission suggests that a mere statement from the government that an investigation will be made and that it is believed an embargo is advisable will have an effect on the market which will make the prices tumble and insure a more reasonable figure for food stuffs than now obtains.

The whole line of inquiry opens up a big question, not only of high prices at home but as to the duty of America abroad. That the food supply is limited in Europe is evidenced by the order recently issued by Germany demanding the seizure of all flour and grain in the empire. In the smaller countries the supply of wheat and flour is said to be very short, and it may prove true that grain shipments must be continued from this country just in the name of humanity to prevent people from starvation.

### Dr. Carriel's Resignation.

All the facts related to the resignation of Dr. H. B. Carriel from the superintendency of Jacksonville State Hospital have not been made public but it is to be hoped that his connection with the state insane hospital is not to be permanently severed. Dr. Carriel's experience and training have been wholly along the line of hospital management and he has been accounted as one of the best equipped and successful superintendents in the state. A position such as he has held for so many years makes many requirements of both medical skill and executive ability and he has measured up to these requirements in a very effective way.

## WINCHESTER

Charles Bunch arrived home Monday after a short visit in Chicago. Mrs. J. J. Jones spent Sunday in Roodhouse visiting relatives.

Elmer Switzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Switzer, was helping his father in the laundry Saturday morning, when he had the misfortune to let slip a bucket of hot water he was drawing. The scalding hot liquid fell upon both ankles and he was badly burned. The left ankle was more badly burned than was the right although both were badly scalded. The young man received medical attention at once and at present it getting along very nicely although it will be several days before he will be able to be about.

Miss Callie Moses returned Sunday from Quincy where she has been studying the latest styles in millinery at the big wholesale houses there.

Earl North arrived here Sunday from the East, where he has been attending school, to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Henry North and other friends and relatives. He is on his way to Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. Thomas Richardson received a message Thursday stating that her son-in-law Walter Hastings, of Milo, Mo., had been accidentally shot last Monday while out hunting. Another message was received Sunday telling of his death. Mrs. Hastings was formerly Miss Eileen Richardson of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Hastings were married a little over a year ago.

The debate that the Monday club planned some time ago took place Monday evening in the auditorium of the grade building. The program was opened by a piano solo by Miss Lucille North, which was very much enjoyed by the audience. The president of the club, Mrs. George C. Smith then announced the subject of the debate to be "Resolved, that the European war is injurious to prosperity in America." The affirmative of this question was upheld by Rev. Mr. Pastley, pastor of Methodist church and Prof. Henry Higgins. The negative was argued by Hon. J. M. Riggs and Dr. W. D. Gibbs. Mrs. E. G. Prewitt and F. H. Allen, awarded the decision to the affirmative. After the debate the audience sang Illinois and the president adjourned the meeting.

Tonight the local lodge of Knights of Pythias will give their minstrel show at the Opera House.

### TO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Mary Gibson, well known to many Jacksonville people, will celebrate her 86th birthday Friday next. Mrs. Gibson is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. William P. Six of Franklin, where she will remain for the present.

## "SICK CITIES MUST BE DIAGNOSED" SAYS SPRINGFIELD CIVIC WORKER

Rev. F. W. Allen Has Scant Respect for Man Who Shuts Eyes to Boos—Gives Salient Facts to Citizens Monday Night.

Speaking to a large assembly of members of the Jacksonville Woman's club and other citizens Monday night at Central Christian church, the Rev. Frank W. Allen of the First Christian church, Springfield, made known his views on mending municipal ills and in a succinct way described the operation of the civic survey and the remedial measures taking rise therefrom. In Springfield, he said, there was always appearing the "booster" who feared to look the issue squarely in the face, and sought to prevent a survey for fear that it would "hurt the city." Believing that the only way to remedy an ill is to know all facts concerned, Mr. Allen was one of the survey's chief exponents. Before the work of the civic and the remedial measures ended, stated the pastor, there were many changes made and this \$15,000 job which took a year's work to complete will ever stand as a lesson for reform.

Stereopticon slides taken from the survey exhibits in the army were employed by Mr. Allen, who confined himself to questions of city and county government, public health and education. The minister came to Jacksonville by invitation of the civic and the educational departments of the Woman's club and was introduced at the church by the Rev. M. L. Pontius, the Christian pastor here. Mrs. Allyn L. Adams and Mrs. Harrison W. King are chairmen of the departments under whose auspices the speaker came.

### Some Prison Methods Scored.

Prison methods, the first subject shown, brought out the contrast between "bull pen," where first offender, dope fiend, drunkard and man on mere suspicious meet in mutual defiance, and the "prison farm" where evil influence is at a minimum and where is exemplified "the way that prevents by reforming." Among the other factors which came in for their word of censure were, juvenile probation which leaves the child all but unsupervised, the system of petty fines described as "most pernicious," the lack of a house of correction, economical and beneficial; the fixed sentence which does not give the city or county charge the benefit enjoyed even by the penitentiary convict, whom indeterminate sentence often helps. Mr. Allen decried the influence of politics in appointments and the methods which result in prison authorities and police devoid of elementary humanity and juvenile judges with no understanding of the child. He mentioned the occasional by the idle school house and said that needs the child dance, the school should be the place and not the dance hall. Mr. Allen mentioned the need of more social centers, the bane of the mentally defective child in the public schools, the unseemly lumber of children who quit school too young and the work of the junior high school in preventing this. He urged the need of the short ballot and fewer elections dwelt upon the waste and folly in the jury system as applied to minor offenders and spoke of the efficiency of a municipal court with magistrate and justices. Inspection of weights and measures, the lack of which caused Springfield losses of \$10 to \$15 per family each year, incompetency in the street department and lax methods in city and county purchasing, came in for pointed discussion by Mr. Allen who has given all these subjects considerable time. City planning, its accustomed neglect and the advantage it brings formed the closing topic of this bird's eye view of municipal diagnosis.

### Mothers as Citizens.

Twentieth century judgement on the part of the law-makers of our state has decreed that we shall emerge from our four walls and consider community interests for ourselves and families by going to the polls on election day and voting our opinions. Deep-rooted prejudice toward women in public affairs and timidity will conspire to keep a good many women from exercising her new privilege, franchise but can she afford to ignore her responsibility? If there is danger of contamination in the polling places for grown-up women there is particular danger of it for our children who will and must frequent public places. Exclusiveness in itself is not a virtue neither does an individual nor a nation profit by its practice. Therefore all earnest-minded women are invited to register for the spring election as the time spent in this way may bring for herself and daughter results not gained by sitting in picture shows nor sewing on useless garments.

### Public Spirited Resident.

ATTENTION ROYAL NEIGHBORS. Athens Camp No. 4980. Business of importance. Wednesday night. Charlotte Sulter, Oracle. Hattie B. Bener, Rec.

### COURT OF HONOR.

Athens Court of Honor No. 30 held its regular meeting last night. After the business session, cards were played and an oyster supper enjoyed. Part of the entertainment consisted of a solo by Miss Hazel Yeck and several readings by Mrs. Daisy Reipschlager.

### TAKES UP NEW DUTIES.

Carl Weber, who was recently selected as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce entered upon his new duties Monday morning. Mr. Weber is busy getting acquainted with the office work and the various department of the organization. Miss Maude Taylor continues as the office stenographer.

Mrs. George Snyder, Sr., of Alexander is ill at her home.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

Carl Wilson of Alexander was a visitor in the city Monday.

Hugh Cobb was a visitor in the city yesterday from Arnold.

J. K. C. Pierson was a business visitor yesterday in Havana.

Miss Bertha Austin spent Sunday with home folks in Franklin.

C. A. Hall of Chicago made the city a business visit yesterday.

James Parviance was a business caller in New Berlin Monday.

William C. Cleary was a business visitor in Springfield Monday.

W. H. Kolis of Chicago was a business caller here yesterday.

Edward Litter helped represent Literberry in the city yesterday.

Joseph Wester of Concord was a caller on city people yesterday.

Don't forget to register today.

Miss Pearl Davenport of Pisgah was a caller in the city yesterday.

S. Zook of Decatur was transacting business in the city yesterday.

C. H. Ward expected to go this morning to Mercedosia on business.

H. L. Deppe of Mercedosia was a visitor yesterday with city people.

Mrs. Minnie Coultas of Markham was shopping in the city yesterday.

E. E. Mason of Alexander made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Elmer Imboden left yesterday afternoon for a visit in Louisville, Ky.

S. Weinburg of Chicago was transacting business in the city Monday.

David Stokes of Chicago was a business visitor in Jacksonville Monday.

J. E. Houbert of Chicago was a Jacksonville business visitor yesterday.

Go early today and register. The hours will be seven to five.

Glenn H. Haight of Denver, Colo., was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

James P. Seymour of Providence neighborhood was in the city Monday.

H. C. Kregar was a business caller in the city Monday from Canton, Ill.

Martin Teore of Franklin was transacting business in the city Monday.

Philip Hodges of Mercedosia was transacting business in the city Monday.

George A. Wilson of Chicago was a business visitor in the city Monday.

W. R. Dunlap left Monday forenoon on a business trip to Kansas City.

Mrs. J. B. Haynes of Chandler, Ill., was among the shoppers with Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Greenup Edwards of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Harry Cade of Murrayville was among the visitors in the city Monday.

You should go to the polls or send some one there today to see that your name is properly registered and save trouble and annoyance election day.

William Erney returned Monday forenoon from a brief visit in Springfield.

A. A. Crisland of East St. Louis was a Monday business caller in the city.

Thomas Cooper of Arenville was transacting business in the city Monday.

Mrs. Charles James and daughter were in the city Monday from Mercedosia.

Mrs. Frank Hunter of Sinclair was among the shoppers in the city Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Trapp spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Layton.

Carl Joaquin visited Sunday with his brother, J. B. Joaquin in St. Louis.

Mrs. Samuel Gill of Virginia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

The Rev. C. S. McCollom was a visitor in the city Monday from Murrayville.

Earl Cowdin of Chapin made a call yesterday on some of his city friends.

Frank Sooy of Murrayville was attending to business in the city yesterday.

W. Wamsley of Kinderhook was a Monday business visitor in Jacksonville.

R. D. Megginson of Woodson was a Monday business visitor in Jacksonville.

C. N. Armstrong of Chandlerville was transacting business in the city Monday.

T. H. Moore of Springfield was a business caller in Jacksonville Monday.

L. Kurtzman of Chicago was calling on Jacksonville business men Monday.

Henry Brown of Springfield visited the city yesterday on business matters.

Roy Clark was among the Monday visitors in the city from Murrayville.

Frank Robinson of Murrayville was a business caller in the city Monday.

William C. Chone of New York City was calling on local merchants Monday.

J. E. Free of Decatur was transacting business in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Myers of Mercedosia was among the Monday callers in the city.

Charles W. Olinger of Franklin was a business caller in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Newton Woods was among the Monday visitors in the city from Franklin.

Austin King of the north part of the county made a trip to the city yesterday.

Charles W. Foster of Franklin was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Charles Dean of Manchester was among the Monday business callers in the city.

John Whalen of Franklin was among the business men who visited the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Evans of Waverly were among the Monday visitors in Jacksonville.

J. B. Corrington returned to Alexander after spending Sunday with his family in the city.

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S. M. Bridgman of Joy Prairie was among the Monday business callers in Jacksonville.

M. W. Colby of Decatur was transacting business with Jacksonville merchants Monday.

J. J. Reeve made a business trip to St. Louis Monday. He intends to be away several days.

John Ross of the southeast part of the county was among the callers in the city yesterday.

M. Seligman of Athens, Ill., was transacting business with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

William Deaton on the north part of the county was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Charles Woodall of Manchester was among the business men who visited the city yesterday.

T. A. Chapin and Nelson McMurphy departed yesterday noon for a business trip to St. Paul, Minn.

Edward Phillips of the Salem neighborhood was among the business men in the city yesterday.

W. A. Phillips of Murrayville was among the arrivals for business purposes in the city yesterday.

Scott Tranbarger of Franklin has taken a position in the city with the Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

Paul Wells, Karl Hill, James Armistage, Fred Stewart and Rex Gary were Sunday visitors in Woodson.

Jerry Flynn of the vicinity of Buckhorn was a caller on some of his Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Woods of Franklin were shoppers yesterday with Jacksonville business men.

R. S. Wood has gone to Springfield to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Robert Jess.

Mrs. Charles Payne of Roodhouse was among the shoppers yesterday in the city.

Harry Boone of Springfield was among the business callers in the city Monday.

Earl Woods of Franklin journeyed to the city yesterday on business interests.

W. Munch of Rock Island was interviewing Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Busey of Havana were among the city visitors yesterday.

F. A. Elkins of Chicago was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

L. M. Beckley of Springfield was calling on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

R. S. Payne of St. Louis was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

William White of Virginia made a trip yesterday to the capital of Morgan county.

T. M. Tomlinson went to Chicago last night to buy goods for the coming spring trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rule of Roodhouse were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Miss Winnie Cain of the region of Arnold was a visitor yesterday with city friends.

John Pigges of White Hall was among the business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Frank Wiegler, north east of the city was among the business callers here Monday.

Mrs. Louis Alderson of Chapin was among the shoppers in Jacksonville Monday.

B. D. Adams of Chicago was among the business visitors in Jacksonville Monday.

J. Herskorts of Cincinnati was calling on Jacksonville merchants in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Tendick of the region of the Point was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

C. W. Bostick of Chicago was among the business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Coultas of Markham was among Jacksonville shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cannon left yesterday noon via the Burlington for Rochester, Minn.

Misses Edith Taylor and Louise Guyette were guests of friends in New Berlin Sunday.

Edward Stanley and son were in the city Monday from the Grace Chapel neighborhood.

Edward Stanley of the region of Joy Prairie made a business journey to the city yesterday.

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## Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

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5c for nice quality India linen; former price 6 1/2c yd.

7 1/2c for 10c spring style dressingham, former price 10c.

8 1/2c for extra good quality bleached muslin, all staple brands; reg. price 10c

24c for Pepperell 10-4 bleached muslin.

22c for Pepperell 9-4 bleached muslin.

20c for Pepperell 8-4 bleached muslin.

83c for 36 inch silk poplin. Just three more days at this price—then \$1.00 yd

15c for heavy 8-oz. to yard feather ticking; was 20c.

21c for ladies' pleated vests or pants, bleached or ecru; former price was 25c.

25c for ladies' kimono aprons.

\$5.00 for ladies' all wool suits, nice spring weight.

4c for full standard calicoes, grey, light and dark blue, and sheeting, all 5c

43c for all wool dress goods, the choice of about 50 pieces; regular price was 65c and 50c.

Plain white crochet bed spreads, 89c, 98c and \$1.25.

10 1/2c for fine French finished Percales, 36 inches wide.

5c for 6 1/2c apron gingham.

8 1/2c for 36 inch Percales, light or dark patterns.

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### PRELIMINARY DEBATE WILL BE HELD TONIGHT

High School Will Choose Representatives Against Quincy and Springfield—Parcel Post Question Subject for Contest.

Nine students are candidates for a place on the Jacksonville Debating teams, which will compete in the Tri-City debate March 14th, (Friday). They are Misses Helen Harney, Ila and Gladys Ferreira, Ruth Fenstermaker and John Collins, Earl Priest, John Martin, Byron Carpenter and Otto Phelps.

The question for debate is "Resolved, that the parcel post should be extended to include the express company." The preliminary debate will be held Wednesday evening for the purpose of choosing the six to represent the local school. The affirmative team will stay at home and debate the negative from Quincy. Jacksonville's negative team will go to Springfield.

The question for debate is one that is being used by the larger high schools of the state. The High Schools of Illinois have been divided into twenty four divisions, with three groups to a division. The winners in these division will debate each other and so down till the finals are held. The debaters have been working hard on the question, under the direction of Miss Mabel Cowdin.

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**PUBLIC SALE.**  
Of horses, mules, cattle, corn and farm implements, Thursday, Feb. 25, one fourth mile north of Woodson..

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**WIFE MAKE RESIDENCE CHANGE**  
A. T. Capps and family, who for a number of years have lived at the Yates property, 739 West State street, will move to the S. R. Capps homestead on North Church street. The change will not be made probably until about April 1st.

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Any one able to furnish information in regard to the burial place of the Revolutionary soldiers, Patrick O'fling and Job Jenkins, will please communicate with Miss Epler, 1106 West State street.

**GIVEN KITCHEN RUSH.**  
A kitchen rush was given Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nasby of South Church street, who were recently married, by the members of the Primrose club, who went in a body to their home and surprised them Monday evening. Games were played during the evening and refreshments were served.

**PUTTING IN BOILER TUBES.**  
William Snodgrass, a boilermaker of Kellogg Bros., is in Oquawka, Ill., where he has been putting in a set of boiler tubes for the firm of R. H. and G. A. McWilliams. The fact that the town is so far away speaks well for the standing of the local firm.



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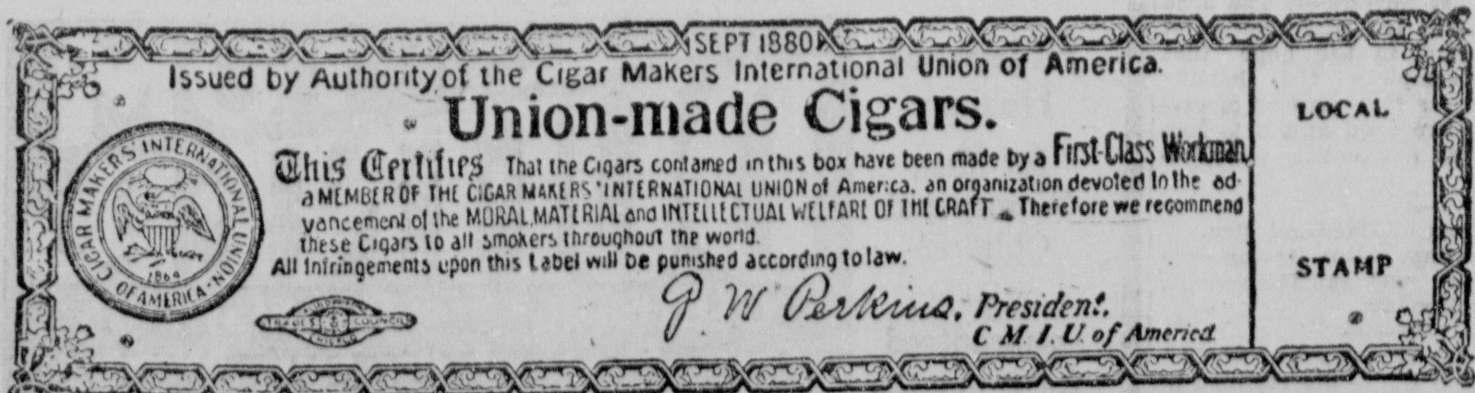
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| Tuna fish, in tins                         | 10c, 15c, 25c      |
| American sardines, in oil                  | 5c, 6 for 25c      |
| American sardines, in mustard              | 5c, 6 for 25c      |
| Salmon                                     | 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c |
| Shrimps, per can                           | 15c                |
| Lobsters, per can                          | 30c                |
| Clams, per can                             | 20c                |
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## CITY AND COUNTY

Louis Wahl of Woodson shipped a car load of fancy hogs to Chicago Monday.

James Leary of Rushville is in the city for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Leary, East Lafayette avenue.

Mrs. William Voorhees and son, Hugh, were among the various shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Creasy of Griggsville has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Butterfield.

Mrs. William Becker of Alexander was among the shoppers yesterday with Jacksonville business men.

William Cleary of the northeast part of the county was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Harry Hansmeyer of the northwest part of the county was calling on Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

A. Bowman of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, was transacting business with Jacksonville business men yesterday.

J. P. Armstrong of Bowling Green, Mo., was attending to matters of business in Jacksonville yesterday.

C. L. DeWitte of Rushville visited yesterday with his daughter, Miss Helen, a pupil at the Woman's College.

Crum and Miss Anna Cleary of the east part of the county were callers yesterday on Jacksonville merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kumble of West College avenue spent Sunday at the home of her son William in Alexander.

Mrs. Lucy McAllister and granddaughter, Miss Hazel Green, were shoppers in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Miss Winifred Robison entertained six of her friends of the Woman's college at her home in Time-well Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Langley of Waverly are visiting friends in the city. They will leave for their home this morning.

Ernest Prim of Tallula was in the city Monday and accompanied his wife and little baby from Passavant hospital.

The store of T. M. Tomlinson is being repaired, painted and fixed up generally inside. Biggs and Son are doing the work.

Mrs. H. E. Harrison, who has been visiting in Chandlerville for the past two weeks has returned to her home on West College street.

Harry Perry of Galesburg who has been here to attend the funeral of his father, Col. Perry, returned to his home yesterday.

Wesley Kneir of Tallula was in the city Monday and took his wife home from Passavant hospital, where she has been a patient.

A. J. Dohle, district agent of the Buick automobile was in the city yesterday from Springfield, calling on Briggs & Zahn, local agents.

Miss Bertha Austin and Charles Withee spent Sunday at the home of Miss Austin's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sturgis of Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell of Winchester were on the city yesterday and Mrs. O'Donnell expected to remain for an operation at Our Saviour's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bishop, Mrs. Ewell Stillman and children and Louis Bishop, tall of Roodhouse, visited Sunday with Jacksonville friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Leonard and Clyde McAllister of Meredosia were in the city yesterday on account of the serious illness of the Leonard baby at Passavant hospital.

Peter Bonansinga writes home that he and his wife have arrived in New Orleans and the city is alive with gay colors and in a day or two Mardi Gras will be in full force.

Misses Luolse Stranberg, Mary Clampt, Bea Ellis of Jacksonville and Miss Alma Story of Murrayville have returned from a visit with Miss Bessie Shreve of Springfield.

Mrs. Alice Jewell of Crystal Lake widow of the late Mr. Jewell, the talented instructor in music at the state school for the Blind, has arrived in the city for a stay of a few weeks.

C. F. Kehl of Mexico, Mo., who has been visiting his parents and father-in-law, C. F. Staples in Woodson has returned home. He was accompanied by his brother Albert Kehl, who will visit with him for a few days.

Meyer D. Seligman of Athens, Menard county, was a business visitor in the city Monday. Mr. Seligman is a former student of Illinois college who for a number of years has conducted a general merchandise business in Athens.

Arthur Ellicock of White Hall was in the city yesterday visiting former friends. He is now owner of a nine acre tract of land in the city limits of the place in which he lives and has his mother with him. He seems much pleased with his new home.

Education consists in knowing things—know how a range is made inside and outside. Call at our store next week during our Majestic Range demonstration.

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DELIVERY HORSE KICKS.

Russel Waterfield driving a delivery horse for Waterfield's grocery Saturday afternoon, was kicked severely below the knee cap when he hit the animal with the lines and the latter took offense and sent his heels over the dash-board. Mr. Waterfield is doing well.

WILL CONVERT CHURCH INTO A DWELLING.

George Moore, who purchased the property of the German Methodist church on South Church street, has decided to make a dwelling out of the building. The work will be commenced in the near future, with Arthur Black as contractor.

## RAILROAD MEN TO BE HERE FEB. 19TH

Alton Officials Find it Possible to be Here for Conference on Date Originally Planned—Other Railroad Notes.

D. C. Diltz, local agent for the Alton, yesterday received a communication from George J. Charlton, passenger traffic manager, of Chicago, saying that the Alton officials who have been planning a conference, would be able to be here on the day originally planned, Friday, February 19th. The communication also stated that the Alton men could be here at any time of the day which suited the convenience of the local chamber of commerce.

Mr. Diltz at once communicated with Secretary Weber and was informed that either 12:30 noon or 7:30 o'clock in the evening would be a suitable hour. This information was then forwarded to Mr. Charlton who last night wired that the Alton officials would be here to meet the chamber of commerce at 12:30 o'clock noon, Friday.

As stated before in these columns the railroad officials are now touring the state in connection with their announced plan of going direct to the people with appeal and argument to show why the petition of the railroads for the right to increase passenger fares from two to two and one-half cents a mile is justified.

The Alton officials met yesterday with the business men of Springfield. Mr. Charlton reports this meeting was very satisfactory to the officials, as have been the other meetings held throughout the state.

To Weigh Mail on Alton.

D. C. Diltz, local agent for the Alton yesterday received instructions for weighing the mails and instructions for their use from H. Ruben, general baggage agent of the Alton at Chicago. The spring scales were sent to Alton by Superintendent Henderson. These will be delivered to the postal mail clerks on the Alton trains leaving here at 6:15 a. m. and the northbound arriving here at 8:50. The weighing of the mails will commence Thursday, Feb. 18th. This is the quadrennial weighing and it will continue for 105 days, every pound hauled by the Alton during that period is to be placed on the scales. Most of the weighing will be done by the clerks as the mail is placed in the postal cars. On the heavy runs helpers will be supplied. From the statistics of this weighing of the mails the basis of paying the railroads for carrying the mails for the next four years will be determined by the postoffice department. The railroads are claiming that the present basis is unfair to both the railroad companies and in some instances to the government, and done done all in their power to have the method changed. A bill, known as the Moon bill, which will remedy this evil, has been introduced in congress, but has not been brought up for action. The weighing has been postponed by the railroads as long as possible, waiting for the bill to be passed or rejected, and if it is passed in this session, the weighing of the mails will mean wasted money on the part of the railroads, so they bear all of the expense connected with the work.

Former Wrecking Foreman Drowns

A message received from Marshalltown, Iowa, stated that William Calloway, the former wrecking foreman of the Chicago & Alton, was found drowned near that city Sunday morning. When the employees of the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad looked for him to go out with the wrecking crew, of which he was foreman, they were shocked to find him dead. He occupied a bunk near the shops, in which he maintained his office, and it is presumed that in trying to enter this car he made a misstep and was stunned in falling. He rolled into a pool of water and evidently drowned.

Alton Men to Get Vacation.

Chicago & Alton agents and operators, who work eleven hours per day, and who have been ten years in the service, are to be given ten days vacation with full pay this year.

This concession was made by the management last summer when the new schedule was adopted. The vacations start May 1 and may be taken any time between that date and September 1. The layoff is not compulsory and those who prefer to work have that privilege. It is not likely, however, that any agent or operator will overlook the chance for a vacation, especially as the company is paying for it. This is the first time that the road has allowed this layoff and those eligible are already commencing to plan for their vacation.

Hope to Save Leg.

Another operation has been performed upon John McKee, the Alton flagman, who was so badly injured by the explosion of a trunk at Springfield last November. The bone of his shattered leg was scraped at Brokaw hospital in the hope that nature will complete the healing process. So far the chances of saving the limb are good and it is hoped to prevent dangerous complications.

Other News of Railroad Men.

T. F. Shuman, Alton trainmaster at Roodhouse, was in Jacksonville on business Monday.

Monday was pay day on the Chicago & Peoria & St. Louis railroad as well as on the Wabash.

A. Anthony, switchman for the Alton at Roodhouse, was shopping

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with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Engineer W. Manning, of the Chicago & Alton, of Roodhouse, was a business caller in Jacksonville yesterday.

D. J. McDonald, master carpenter of the Burlington Route, Beardstown division, was a business visitor in Jacksonville Monday.

Freight Conductor C. C. Rubush, of the Chicago & Alton service, of Roodhouse, was in Jacksonville Monday transacting business matters.

The tower house at the East College avenue crossing, maintained by the Alton and Burlington, is receiving improvements in the way of carpenter work and some fresh paint.

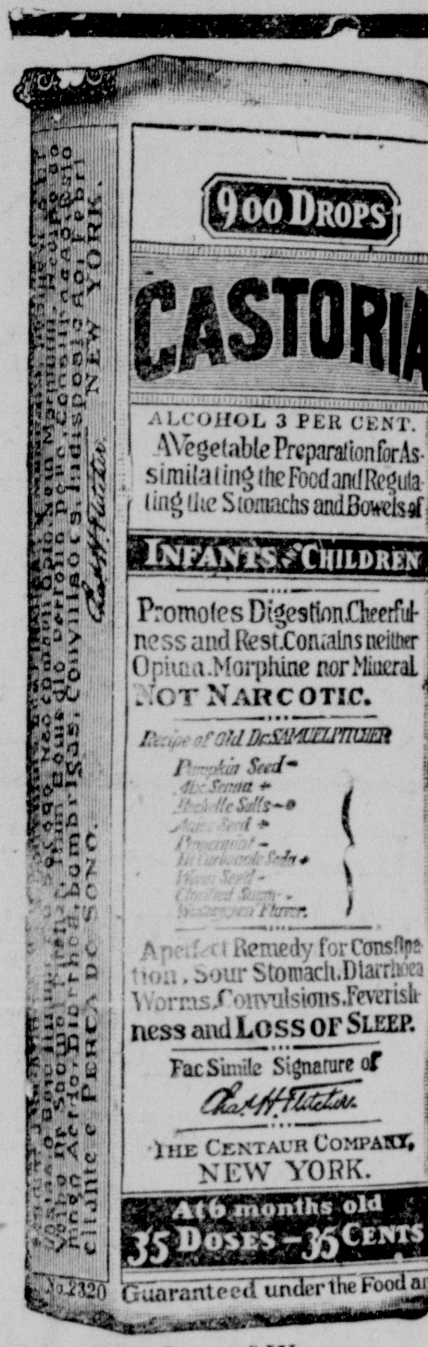
The Alton paint gang which has been at work on the local passenger station is now working at the freight house. This building, as well as the passenger station, will receive painting inside and out.

Edwin Gephart, superintendent of bridges and buildings for the Alton, was in Jacksonville yesterday relative to work at the local freight house.

Most of the coal mines in the southern part of the state were closed Friday, due to the legal holiday, and nearly all of the mines were also idle Saturday. This suspension of three days reduced the coal loading, giving a temporary lull to freight traffic.

Flagman Henry Savage, of the west end passenger runs, is off duty for a few days on the Alton, his regular monthly vacation. Standridge of the extra list, is on his run. The latter ran through this city for a time on 32 and 33 before he was "bumped off" the local St. Louis run by A. Mink of Chicago.

Mrs. Julia McAllister and granddaughter Hazel Green of Woodson were among the visitors in the city Monday.



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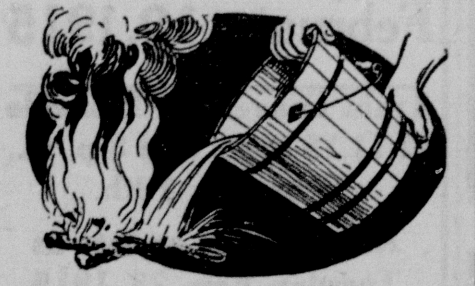
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## EXPECT ALL WOUNDED IN PANAMA CARNIVAL RIOT WILL RECOVER

No Further Trouble is Expected By Brig. Gen. Edwards, Who Sends Report of Trouble to the War Department.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Details of the Panama carnival riot, in which a Panama policeman was killed and 25 persons—23 American soldiers and civilians—were wounded Saturday, came to the war department today in a report from Brig. General Clarence Edwards, commanding the canal zone garrison. All the wounded are expected to recover, the general said and no further trouble is expected. He explains that the Americans, all unarmed, were fired upon by police and a mob after individual altercations had precipitated a general row.

The report follows: "The row started in the red light district with two or three small personal altercations between the Panama police and American soldiers and civilians. The soldiers were without arms of any kind, animated by carnival spirit entirely and there was clearly no animus on the part of the soldiers at any time. The town was more heavily provoked than customary but the disturbance started at one o'clock and spread like wildfire though the American patrol did everything possible.

"Americans, both soldiers and civilians were fired on by the Panama police and mob with Remington rifles, with bayonets fixed and with high powered cartridges and pistols. A few soldiers took the small 22 calibre target rifles from a nearby shooting gallery in the tenderloin and fired a few shots. They were immediately disarmed by Lieutenant Edgerly, who turned them over to the police and then summoned all non-commissioned officers and, with a small provost guard, locked arms and pushed all soldiers and Americans back. The police and mob moved the other way but continued firing and throwing rocks, though there were no answering shots from the unarmed Americans. The Panama national officials as soon as they arrived aided in every way as well as the local officials.

"An investigation was immediately instituted at which was present Panama foreign minister, Governor of the Province and other officials and the American minister. This continued all day Sunday. I believe the death of the Panama policeman was caused by police bullets but our medical officers will be present at the autopsy to determine the question. I have forbidden soldiers during the remaining days of the carnival to visit Panama.

"The feeling is surprised rather than bad. Fifteen wounded soldiers remain at Ancon Hospital; two only doubtful; seriously two, all gunshot wounds; the rest contusions, some bruised. Probably all will get well. Do not anticipate further trouble."

## FARMER GRAIN DEALERS TO CONVEIN IN BLOOMINGTON

Twelfth Annual Convention Will Begin Today—Gov. Dunne and Carl Vrooman.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Farmers' & Grain Dealers' Association of Illinois will be held in Bloomington beginning today, the sessions to continue through Thursday. It will be remembered that the last session of this association was held in Jacksonville, and that several hundred delegates were in attendance. A. C. Rice is vice president of the association and will go to Bloomington this morning to attend the opening session and respond to the address of welcome given by J. H. Hudson, secretary of the Bloomington Commercial club. One of the notable addresses of this afternoon's program will be that by Carl Vrooman, now assistant secretary of agriculture at Washington. Gov. Dunne is scheduled for an address tonight and among others who will speak during the week will be Dr. R. E. McConomy of the University of Illinois; Charles Adkins, Bement; Clifford Thorne, chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners; and John H. Walker, president of the Illinois Federation of Labor. Among Morgan county people who will attend the convention will be R. S. Nelson, Thomas Cain, Robert Hamilton and Harry Rice. A number of others are also planning to go.

## PUBLIC SALE.

Wednesday, Feb. 17, at ten a. m., E. W. Sorrells will sell at his residence, a mile east of Woodson, 21 horses and mules comprising six spans of serviceable mules, a span of good horses and several single animals, five sows with 40 pigs, 300 bales wheat straw, 50 bushels fine seed oats, a large lot of all kinds of farm machinery and five sets work harness.

## REGISTER TODAY.

Every man and woman voter should remember to go to the polls in their respective voting places today and register. Any person may give in the name of another of whom the judges are satisfied. The next registering day will be two weeks hence and then all who wish to be enrolled will have to go in person.

Fancy Morgan Co. Blue Grass Seed, 1914 crop. Hall Bros., 3 stores.

## MOVING TO KANSAS.

Walter and John Young of Arcadia neighborhood left Sunday for Hunnewell, Mo. After spending a few days there and at other points in Missouri they will go to Hutchinson, Kas., and later to on a farm near Oxford, Kans. Their many friends will wish them all the success in their new country.

## CREATES FAVORABLE IMPRESSION

British Believe McDoo's Order Will Serve to Make Detention of Ships Less Frequent.

London, Feb. 15.—(7:50 p. m.)—The announcement that Secretary McDoo had rescinded the regulation which compelled American customs collectors to keep ship's manifests secret for a period of thirty days has created a favorable impression among British officials. The foreign office has insistently urged from the beginning of the war that secret manifests were the basis of much friction, resulting in the detention and search of ships carrying American cargoes.

Prominent officials tonight expressed the belief that the inspection of American manifests by British consuls before ships sailed would make detention far less frequent. Furthermore, there is every evidence that the British officials are hastening the inspection of cargoes, extra customs officials having been detailed for this work.

## EUROPEAN WAR NOTES

The Hague, Feb. 15, via London. (10 p. m.)—Henry VanDyke, the American minister at the Hague today turned over \$5,000 to the Netherlands Red Cross Society on behalf of the American Red Cross. The cash was received by Prince Henry of Wied, the president of the Dutch Red Cross.

Paris, Feb. 15.—The following official communication was issued by the war office tonight:

"Only a few actions are reported and these favorable to our artillery. Near Poelcappelle, northeast of Ypres, one of the batteries of the enemy was silenced. At Beaurains, south of Arras, several German trenches have been destroyed.

"In the neighborhood of Soissons and in the region of Perthes, some earthworks of the enemy and collections of troops have been efficaciously cannonaded."

Berlin, Feb. 15.—By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—The Overseas News Agency quotes the Berliner Tageblatt as saying in a despatch from Budapest that the Austrian-Hungarian forces have entered the capital of Bukovina. The Russians said to have been driven across the Pruth River and to have retreated towards Nowoselica on the Russian border.

The evacuation of Czernowitz by the Russians was reported in a despatch from Berlin on Feb. 10th, but was not confirmed.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—By wireless to London. (6:55 p. m.)—The following announcement was made today by the Overseas News Agency: "Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's third battle of the Mazurian Lakes will prove more disastrous to the Russians than the other two, from present indications. It is believed that 40,000 Russians were captured."

"Prussia is now cleared of the enemy. Indications point to a general German-Austrian offensive from Bukovina to the Baltic. The Russians are being rolled up in many portions of the line."

Turkish advance guards drove back British divisions across the Suez canal at Asum and Serpeum. Senussi Bedouins invaded Egypt and occupied the Siva Oasis.

"Turks defeated the British at Kurma Mesopotamia."

"Wireless negotiations between Austrian and Hungarian ministers resulted in the declaration that there is sufficient corn and flour for both countries, especially since Hungary will give Austria her superfluous stocks."

"Dutch shipping companies have decided to suspend commercial communication from Feb. 18th, except mail steamers."

Amsterdam, Holland, Feb. 15, via London, Feb. 12.—Announcement is made in the Handelsblad today that the Royal Dutch Steamship company has suspended its service to Havre until further notice.

London, Feb. 15.—(7:30 p. m.)—A despatch to Reuters' Telegram Co. from The Hague says:

"The German admiralty states that when a name and a national flag are painted on the side of a neutral ship in order to insure protection from a German submarine attack they should be painted as high as possible above the water line, as otherwise they may not be observed from the submarine, whose periscopes will be very little raised above the water. Rough weather and high seas increase the necessity for neutral ships observing this precaution."

Washington, Feb. 15.—Evidence submitted by the owners of the Steamship Wilhelmina to prove that the ship is loaded with foodstuffs for non-combatants and not subject to seizure was forwarded by the state department today to Ambassador Page for presentation to the London foreign office with the suggestion that unless Great Britain has sufficient grounds not yet advanced for doing otherwise, the ship at once be permitted to proceed with her cargo to her destination.

The proposal of the German ambassador that submarine attacks upon British merchantmen would be abandoned if Great Britain discontinued interfering with food supplies for German civilians also was transmitted to Ambassador Page for submission to the foreign office.

Asia Dooley was a Monday visitor in the city from Alexander.

## INSURANCE MEETING TO BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT

Organizer for State Federation Will Visit City—Insurers Asked to Attend.

A mass meeting of Jacksonville insurance men was held Monday morning at the Ayers bank building, when it was decided that the local men will become members of the Illinois Insurance Federation.

Local officers were chosen as follows: president, Walter Ayers; vice president, John N. Kennedy; secretary and treasurer, M. C. Hook; president and publicity committee, C. H. Ward, H. H. Bancroft, T. H. Buckthorpe; executive committee, J. W. Hubbie, W. E. Veitch, G. H. Kopperl, M. C. Hook and E. F. Johnston.

It was announced that Frank H. Anderson, secretary of the Illinois federation, will be in Jacksonville next Thursday, Feb. 18th, when a mass meeting will be held at the court house. The public will be invited to this meeting, and the purpose is to set forth reasons why the insurance men believe that it would be contrary to the interests of insurers if the state of Illinois were to engage in the insurance business.

As the public now knows pretty well, Insurance Commissioner Rufus M. Potts some weeks ago made public a voluminous report of insurance conditions in Illinois, wherein he severely scored insurance companies and officials, claiming that exorbitant rates were in effect which made possible the payment of enormous salaries and large profits. It is understood that a bill is to be presented before the Illinois general assembly providing a plan whereby the state of Illinois can provide insurance.

The organization of the local insurance men is simply a part of a general movement over all the state having for its purpose to combat the theories advanced by Mr. Potts. The insurance men claim that the state cannot profitably go into the insurance business, and that the present rates are not out of proportion to the expense and the risk involved. It is understood that at the mass meeting Thursday night that insurers are urged to come and to ask any questions in which they are interested. The purpose is to discuss the problem in an open way in order that the public may come into a better understanding of the insurance business.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Cigarmakers Union, No. 114. Jacksonville, Feb. 8, 1915.

Whereas the All-wise Almighty has seen fit to remove from our midst one of our beloved members and fellow-workmen, Mr. B. E. Martin; and,

Whereas, the said member was faithful and loyal to the union and to his family.

Therefore, be it resolved, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family in their hour of distress; and, Resolved, that we deeply mourn the removal of our friend and co-worker from the field of activity, which so sorely needs such champions; and,

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread on our minutes.

(Signed) J. Mikesell, L. P. Hoffman, M. Heffernan, —Committee.

## A HEALTHY, HAPPY WIFE

is the greatest inspiration a man can have and the life of the family, yet how many homes in this fair land are blighted by the ill health of wife and mother!

It may be backaches, headaches, the tortures of a displacement, or some ailment peculiar to her sex which makes life a burden. Every woman in this condition should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, to restore her to health and happiness.—Advertisement.

## WITH THE FRENCH WOUNDED.

The Woman's Sacrifice.

Paris, Feb. 9th, 8:30 p. m. Away from the battlefield one sees war stripped of its glamor. We see the heroic work of nurses who are on duty day and night. There is devotion, self-sacrifice, suffering patriotism—qualities which only a great war and its terrible consequences can inspire to the highest development. The women everywhere are helping and everywhere one sees self-sacrifice and devotion to country.

The women of the United States do not know how fortunate they are. Here there are plenty of women who suffer in silence, whose strength is out of proportion to their ambition. Their hands are tied by some chronic disease common to womanhood; that weak back, accompanied by pain here or there, extreme nervousness, sleeplessness, maybe fainting spells or spasms, are all signals of distress for women. She may be growing from girlhood into womanhood, passing from womanhood to motherhood, and later suffering from that change which leaves so many wrecks of women. At any or all these periods of a woman's life she should take a tonic and nerve, prescribed for just such cases by a physician of vast experience in the diseases of women. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has successfully treated more cases the past fifty years than any other known remedy. When you feel dull, headachy, backache, dizzy, or perhaps hot flashes, there is nothing you can accomplish, nothing you can enjoy. You can find permanent relief in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is sold by medicine dealers, or trial box by mail from Dr. Pierce, Invalid's Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., on receipt of 50-cents, or one dollar for large box.—Ady.

We have decided to continue our

## BLUE SERGE SUIT SALE

One Week More

ALSO

Will include many Browns and Grays, stout sizes from 38 to 48 in "Hirsh-Wickwires" at

9.95

LUKEMAN BROS.

## Four Days Shoe Sale!

Beginning THIS morning (Wednesday), Feb. 10, at 7 o'clock and running until Saturday night, Feb. 13, at 10:30 everything in the house goes at prices never before heard of in Jacksonville.

This is just the SALE you have been waiting for. Everyone at this season of the year needs a pair of shoes to fill out with until LOW SHOE TIME.

Now is your CHANCE of a life time. I would suggest that you come early to avoid the rush and to make sure your size is here. If you haven't the money borrow it for these prices absolutely go for only WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. My LOSS is your GAIN. Lay in a supply of shoes for the whole family, for shoes are bound to be higher.

## Ladies' and Gent's Shoes

In all the latest lasts and patterns. These are not old shoe worn goods or out of date styles but the BEST the shoe markets afford. Going at

\$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.65

Think of it! Did you ever before see such prices on HIGH GRADE FOOTWEAR? Come in, BE FIT, and then ASK THE PRICE. You will be surprised.

## Children's, Boys' and Girls' Shoes at Less Than Manufacturers' Cost.

You've Got the Money. I've Got the Shoes. Let's Get Together.

Nothing on Approval A. SMITH Cash Always

The Man That Puts the EES in SHOES. East State Street



SEEING THE WORLD

He jogged around from town to town, "to see the world," was his excuse; he'd get a job and hold it down a little while, then turn it loose.

"Oh, stay," employers use to say; "your moving is a foolish trick; you'll soon be earning bigger pay, for we'll promote you pretty quick." "This town is punk," he would reply, "and every street is surnamed Queer; I'd see the world before I die—I do not wish to stagnate here." Then he was young and quick and strong, and jobs were thick, as he jogged by, till people passed the word along that on him no one could rely. Then, when he landed in a town, and wished to earn a humble scud, the stern employers turned him down—"we want you not, your record's bad." He's homeless in these wintry days, he has no bed, no place to sup; he "saw the world" in every phase; the world saw him—and passed him up. It's good to "see the world," no doubt, but one should make his bundle first, or age will find him down and out, panhandling for the wickerwurst.



## If You Can't Eat All the Meat You Buy

Then a portion of your money is wasted. There is a little waste in every cut (because the animal is built that way), but there is comparative waste. You want the least of course. Come here. We pay cash which insures the best stock. We sell for cash, eliminating losses, and are able to trim your selections closer, making less waste for you.

Our new cash meat market, E. State St., op. postoffice, will be particularly convenient for residents of the East Side.

W. F. WIDMAYER CASH MARKET 217 W. STATE ST.



## SIGNALS OF DISTRESS

## Jacksonville People Should Know How to Read and Heed Them.

Disordered kidneys give many signals of distress. The secretions may be dark, contain sediment. Passages are sometimes frequent, scanty, painful. Backache is often present day and night. Headaches and dizzy spells may occur.

Weakened kidneys should receive quick help. Don't delay! Use a special kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys, backache and urinary disorders. Jacksonville evidence proves their worth.

P. J. Meany, blacksmith, 333 North East street, Jacksonville, says: "When I used Doan's Kidney Pills two or three years ago, they fixed me up in good shape. My kidneys pained me terribly and my back ached, especially when I stooped. The action of Doan's Kidney Pills not only stopped the pains and aches, but also regulated the kidney action."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Meany had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

## MOTHER! IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation, poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" it oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrup. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grownups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

## SICK, SOUR STOMACH, INDIGESTION OR GAS

"Pape's Diapiesin" Makes Upset Stomachs Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapiesin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapiesin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapiesin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary. —Advertisement.

## OUCH! ACHING JOINTS, RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN

Rub Pain Right Out With Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacob's Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain" only. Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging! Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil" right into your sore, stiff, aching joints, and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacob's Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and can not burn the skin.

Linger up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" at any drug store, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness and stiffness. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacob's Oil" is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains.—Advertisement.

## TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.—Advertisement.

## CITY ATTORNEY GIVES OPINION ON SALARY QUESTION

Ordinance Requires No Action from the Council but Will be Submitted to the People by the Clerk—Council Cannot Raise or Lower Own Salaries.

The meeting of the city council Monday morning was brief and consisted mainly in the reading and filing of a communication from City Attorney Thompson relative to the salary ordinance which was recently filed with the council.

Mr. Thompson in his communication discussed two questions which he understood comprised the inquiry made by the council. The first of these questions was as to whether the present council or the council to be elected in April next will fix the salary of mayor and commissioners for the coming four years. The city attorney points out that in his opinion it is impossible for city officials to either increase or lower their salaries during their term of office, and that therefore the salary ordinance in effect when the new city officials come into office will govern.

The second question related to the petition filed seeking a salary reduction ordinance submitted to a vote of the people. The city attorney reviews this question and holds that in such case the council has no special duty to perform with reference to such a petition. The duty of the clerk is to submit such an ordinance as the petition calls for to a vote of the people unless the sufficiency of the petition has been questioned by objection filed within ten days after the petition was filed.

After the reading of the city attorney's opinion it was ordered received and placed on file. Some minor matters of business then occupied brief attention before the council adjourned. The opinion of the duty of the clerk is to submit the city attorney as placed on file in language as follows:

**Mr. Thompson's Opinion.**  
To the Honorable, The Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Jacksonville, Ill.

Gentlemen:  
The two questions submitted to me on which you desire an opinion are, first: whether the present council or the council to be elected April next will fix the salaries of the mayor and council which will succeed the present council. Second, what has the council to do in reference to the petition filed with the city clerk which seeks to have an ordinance fixing the salaries voted on by the electors of the city under the initiative and referendum law.

The answer to the first inquiry is governed by the constitution relating to municipal officers and their salaries as expressed in section 11, article 9, of the Constitution of Illinois, adopted 1870, together with that section of the statute which refers to the salaries of the mayor and council under what is called "The Commission Form of Government" Act.

The constitutional provision is as follows: "The fees, salary or compensation of no municipal officer who is elected or appointed for a definite term of office, shall be increased or diminished during such term." The statutory act which must be construed in connection with the constitutional provision contains the following reference to salaries of officers in cities of the class which includes the city of Jacksonville: "—and their total and only compensation for the performance of their several and respective duties shall be annual salaries, which shall be fixed by the council, and which shall not exceed as follows, to-wit: Where the population is over 15,000 and not over 20,000 the annual salary of the mayor may be \$2,000, and each of the commissioners \$1,700."

Under the constitution it will be seen there is a positive prohibition against the change of salaries of municipal officers during the term of their incumbency. No exception to any class of elective officers is made. The mayor and commissioners of the city of Jacksonville come within the constitutional prohibition, and the law being that the constitution governs the statutory laws, it follows that the mayor and commissioners to be elected at the next general election would have no power to either increase or diminish the salaries that were fixed at the date of their induction into office. If it be claimed that the present council fixed its own salary, and therefore the constitution did not or does not apply, it must be remembered that at the time the present mayor and council went into office there were no salaries fixed,—there had been no such offices, and in order to put in effect a new law in the city, the salaries had to be fixed by the first council. But since salaries have been fixed, such salaries must remain until changed according to law. That is, the salaries that are allowed officers under the law at the time newly elected officers take office cannot be changed during their time of office. This view is sustained by the holdings of the courts of Illinois—Stadler vs. Fahey, reported in 87 Appellate Court Reports at page 411, also Roodhouse vs. Johnson, 57 Appellate, 73.

As to the second inquiry, it will be found that under Section 47, Article 13, Chapter 24, of the Statute of the state of Illinois, the legislature has given the right to the people of a city or village, to submit any proposed ordinance to the electors of such city, and if a majority of the voters voting on the proposed ordinance vote in favor thereof, such ordinance shall thereupon become a valid and binding ordinance of the city, and can only be amended or repealed by a vote of the people. The duty of the clerk is ministerial and the council has no duty to perform with reference to such petition. When a petition is filed with the city clerk, as provided by law, the sufficiency of the petition can be tested only in the manner prescribed by the statute, that is, by objections being filed with the clerk with whom the petition is filed within five days after the same is filed.

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## CHAMINADE MUSIC CLUB.

The Chaminaide Music Club met Monday with Mrs. J. Bart Johnson on South West street. There was a full attendance of members and an interesting and brilliant program from the works of modern French composers was rendered as follows:

**Modern French Composers.**  
Danseuses de Delphes . . . Debussy  
Mrs. J. P. Brown, Mrs. H. Potter  
(a) Woodland Song . . . Chaminaide  
(b) Evening Fair . . . Debussy

**Miss Graham**  
Automne—Concert Study . . . Chaminaide  
Mrs. Homer . . . Chaminaide  
(a) Air of Salome, He is Kind (Herodiade) . . . Massenet  
(b) The Stars are Falling . . . Delia Aquia

**Mrs. Roland (Slee)**  
(a) Minstrels . . . Debussy  
(b) Mazurka de Concert . . . Pessard  
Miss Colton

**O'er the Fresh Green Fields . . . Chaminaide**  
(b) Returning Spring . . . Vidal  
Mrs. C. F. Ehnie  
Gardens in the Rain . . . Debussy  
Mrs. Edgar Martin

**(a) Le Cygne (The Swan) . . . Saint-Saens**  
(b) Espagnole Bolero Op. 1100 . . . Godard  
Miss Walker

**(a) Open Thy Blue Eyes . . . Massenet**  
(b) Comes the Spring . . . Debussy  
Mrs. Robert L. Stice  
Valse—Ballet Op. 112 —Chaminaide  
Mrs. Ralph Hutchison

## PUBLIC SALES

Feb. 16—Edgar Shibe, Shiloh neighborhood.  
Feb. 16—J. T. Hensey, near New Berlin.

Feb. 16—Cox sale, near Nortonville.  
Feb. 17—W. D. Hitt, Merritt.

Feb. 17—E. W. Sorrells, Woodson.  
Feb. 17—Mrs. Dunlap, 3 miles north of Alexander.

Feb. 17—Walter Severs, near Ashland.  
Feb. 18—C. F. Corrington and D. L. Clark, 7 miles west of New Berlin.

Feb. 18—M. I. Way, two miles south of Virginia.  
Feb. 18—C. F. Corrington and D. L. Clark, 9 miles northeast of Alexander.

Feb. 18—James Davis, 7 miles northwest of Winchester.  
Feb. 19—Henry Lubkehaus, Arenzville.

Feb. 19—John B. Gray, 8 miles south of Murrayville.  
Feb. 20—Noble H. Scott, near Franklin.

Feb. 23—Charles Ator, Arenzville.  
Feb. 23—S. A. Quigg, 7 miles northwest of Jacksonville.

Feb. 24—Auley Myers, 9 miles northwest of Winchester.  
Feb. 23—S. A. Quigg, Joy Prairie neighborhood.

Feb. 25—L. A. Fitzsimmons, one-fourth mile north of Woodson.  
Feb. 26—John Ross, City—corner Michigan and Lincoln avenues.

Feb. 24—C. C. Harrison, Real estate, Merritt.  
Feb. 25—Deany Killam, Markham.

March 2—Smith & Stone, 2 miles south west of Chapin.  
March 3—C. B. Joy, Joy Prairie.

March 9—John Duverney, 6 miles northwest of Arenzville.

## PUBLIC SALE.

Wednesday, Feb. 17, at ten a. m. E. W. Sorrells will sell at his residence, a mile east of Woodson, 21 horses and mules, comprising six spans of serviceable mules, a span of good horses and several single animals, five sows with 40 pigs, 300 bales wheat straw, 50 bushels fine seed oats, a large lot of all kinds of farm machinery and five sets work harness.

## PROBATE COURT NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Baker. Inventory approved.  
In the matter of Ralph Shaw. Petition to expend part of the principal allowed.  
In the matter of Bennie and George Willis. Additional bond of guardian approved.  
In the matter of Sophia Ex. Petition of Dr. Doller for appointment of conservator. Hearing set for 9 a. m., Feb. 25th.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Austin A. Joyce, Jacksonville; Effie Wilbert, Jacksonville.  
Albert Lovekamp, Arenzville; Ada Roegge, Meredosia.

## DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee" at any pharmacy. Take a teaspoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.  
It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Advertisement.

## AN ORDINANCE.

Calling a Municipal Primary Election for the Nomination of City Officers therein named to be held in the City of Jacksonville, Illinois, on the 9th Day of March, A. D. 1915.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois:

**Section 1:—**  
That as provided by law a Municipal Primary Election for the purpose of nominating Candidates for City Officers shall be held in the City of Jacksonville, County of Morgan and State of Illinois, on the 9th Day of March, A. D. 1915, said date being the second Tuesday in March and being the date prescribed by law for the holding of such Municipal Primary Election for city officers; and that at said Municipal Primary Election the following candidates for city officers shall be nominated to-wit:

**Two Candidates for Mayor.**  
**Eight Candidates for Commissioners.**

**Section 2:—** . . . . .  
The places in which said municipal primary election shall be held are as follows:—

In the First Precinct of the First Ward at Tobin's Store at 1004 East Lafayette avenue.

In the Second Precinct of the First Ward at O'Donnell's Shop, 215 East North street.

In the Third Precinct of the First Ward at Sheppard's Store, No. 640 North Main street.

In the Fourth Precinct of the Second Ward at Henderson's Store, No. 801 North Main street.

In the Fifth Precinct of the Second Ward at Hughett's Store, No. 728 West Lafayette avenue.

In the Sixth Precinct of the Second Ward at Paschall & Waltman store, corner Pine and West Lafayette avenue.

In the Seventh Precinct of the Second Ward at the County Court House on West Court street.

In the Eighth Precinct of the Fourth Ward at Vickery & Merrigan Building, on West Morgan street.

In the Ninth Precinct of the Fourth Ward at Mrs. S. B. Gray's residence, No. 1039 West College avenue.

In the Tenth Precinct of the Fourth Ward at the Jacksonville Rug Works, at No. 425 Edmond street.

In the Eleventh Precinct of the Fourth Ward at James Ball's residence, No. 803 South West street.

In the Twelfth Precinct of the Fourth Ward at the County Building, corner Fayette and Grove streets.

In the Thirteenth Precinct of the Third Ward at the County Jail on South Main street.

In the Fourteenth Precinct of the Third Ward at Boston's store, No. 600 East College avenue.

In the Fifteenth Precinct of the Third Ward at Potter's store on East Chambers and Goltra avenue.

In the Sixteenth Precinct of the Third Ward at Phelps's House, No. 1103 South East street.

## Section 3:—

The polls of such Municipal Primary Election shall be opened on said date from the hour of 6 o'clock in the morning until the hour of 5 o'clock in the evening.

## Section 4:—

The following persons are hereby appointed Judges of said Municipal Primary Election to-wit:—

First Precinct of First Ward: Pat Tobin, Mary Shields, Oscar Meline.

Second Precinct of First Ward: Pat Quigley, Mary Olds, Jeannette Powell.

Third Precinct of First Ward: Ed. Mallory, Chas. Blesse, Alice Goons.

Fourth Precinct of Second Ward: B. F. Henderson, Joe Gomes, Mrs. Ben Cohen.

Fifth Precinct of Second Ward: Elias Hughett, Hal Higgins, Mrs. Elizabeth Buft.

Sixth Precinct of Second Ward: Wm. Stull, Catherine Bronson, M. G. Fernandes.

Seventh Precinct of Second Ward: Robert Headen, Mrs. Clarence Reid, E. M. Henderson.

Eighth Precinct of Fourth Ward: A. Opperman, Frank Mallory, Frances English.

Ninth Precinct of Fourth Ward: H. C. Clement, James Vosseller, Florence Taylor.

Tenth Precinct of Fourth Ward: F. P. Vickery, A. J. Ward, Elizabeth D. Carter.

Eleventh precinct of Fourth Ward: Harry Walter, Elizabeth White, Margaret Kastrop.

Twelfth Precinct of Fourth Ward: W. H. Parish, W. H. Dalton, Margaret Graf.

Thirteenth Precinct of Third Ward: Chas. McCullough, Wm. Blue, Thos. Rapp.

Fourteenth Precinct of Third Ward: Ed. Kitzer, Geo. Haigh, May Singley.

Fifteenth Precinct of Third Ward: Harry Potter, M. V. Wyatt, John Catherwood.

Sixteenth Precinct of Third Ward: Carl Joquin, Threse Lonergan, Newt Donovan.

## Section 5:—

The said Judges of Election shall meet on the first day of registration, Feb. 16th, A. D. 1915, at the aforesaid Polling places for holding said municipal primary election in their respective precincts and make a register of all the names of all persons entitled to vote at such municipal primary election as required by law, and they shall meet again at the same place on the March 2nd, A. D. 1915, to revise, correct and complete said registration of voters.

## Section 6:—

After the close of the polls the ballots shall be counted, the results declared and the returns made under seal to the City Clerk within two days after said municipal primary election as provided by law.

## Section 7:—

The City Clerk is hereby authorized and instructed to have ballots printed and distributed and give at least twenty (20) days notice of the municipal primary election herein provided for as provided by law.

Passed at a regular meeting of the City Council this 1st Day of February, A. D. 1915.  
Approved this 1st Day of February, A. D. 1915.  
George W. Davis, Mayor.

Attest: R. L. Pyatt, City Clerk.

**WILL REMOVE TO ASHLAND.**  
Frank C. Votsmier, who for a number of years has been farming in Franklin precinct is contemplating removal to Ashland. He will dispose of his stock and other effects at a public sale at his farm near Clements station, Wednesday, Feb. 24.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

## For Mayor.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.  
H. J. Rodgers.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, March 9.  
George W. Davis.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, March 9.  
U. G. Woodman.

**For City Commissioner.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.  
William Newman.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.  
George P. Davis.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.  
Jerry Cox.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.  
William F. Widmayer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9.  
C. R. Knollenberg.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
Francis A. Kaule.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, March 9th.  
C. C. Berryman.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
J. Edgar Martin.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9.  
Daniel Bahan, Sr.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9.  
W. D. Gates.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9.  
Joshua Vasconcellos.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
Edward Kastrop.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
A. W. Becker.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
G. V. Skinner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
Anthony Kennedy.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9.  
Abe L. Wood.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, Mar. 9th.  
Harry B. Myers.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election Mar. 9th.  
H. D. Capps.

Easter Kinnett of Prentice was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

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Ducks ..... 8c  
Geese ..... 8c  
Guinea ..... 25c  
Turkeys ..... 13c  
Fresh eggs ..... 21  
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Wheat straw ..... 4c  
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Bran, per cwt. ..... .85  
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Kansas City Express ..... 8:00 pm  
Wabash  
East Bound—  
No. 72 local frgt. ex-Sun. 1:10 am  
No. 12 ..... 9:45 pm  
No. 52, daily ..... 6:25 pm  
No. 28, daily ..... 2:13 am  
No. 4, daily ..... 8:30 am  
No trains stop at Junction.  
West Bound—  
No. 9, daily ..... 1:50 pm  
No. 73, loc. freight, ex-Sun. 2:25 pm  
No. 3, daily ..... 7:15 am  
No. 15, daily ..... 5:15 pm  
No. 53, Hannibal Accom. 10:05 am  
Burlington Route.  
North Bound—  
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday. 11:20 am  
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday. 4:50 pm  
South Bound—  
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday. 6:55 am  
No. 43, daily, ex-Sunday. 2:08 pm  
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No. 36, daily ..... 7:40 am  
No. 35, returns ..... 11:34 am  
No. 38, daily ..... 3:05 pm

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By Sol E. Quizer.  
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Many a farmer can pay cash for  
an automobile when he can't afford  
a kitchen sink.  
When city folks press the button  
they only get a good light easily;  
but when we country people save  
and figure and compare this system  
and that and finally install our own,  
why, when we press the button and  
the light floods the room, we know  
a little of how God felt when He  
said "let there be light."  
The woman that can't tell her  
husband just what she wants in  
the way of house improvements,  
where to get them, and how much  
they will cost, hasn't yet served up  
to the point where she can enjoy  
them properly.  
Upon washing day I have heard  
mother say  
"An engine beats men up and  
down."  
It can't go inside of the corn  
crib to hide  
And pretend it has business in  
town."  
Tailor Made.  
"My papa has a tailor made watch."  
said little Winifred proudly.  
"Indeed!" exclaimed the visitor. "I  
never heard of a tailor made watch be-  
fore."  
"Well," explained the little miss, "he  
got it with a ten dollar suit of clothes,  
anyway."—Chicago News.

**Within the Truth.**  
Victim—Look here! You said the  
house was only a stone's throw from  
the station. It's fully half a mile.  
Agent—Well, I've seen a blast from a  
quarry throw stones twice that dis-  
tance many a time. —Boston Tran-  
script.

**Awaiting the Outcome.**  
"The folks at our hotel are greatly  
interested in a problem."  
"What is it?"  
"An irresistible blond has just met  
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**WORLD'S MARKET NEWS**

**IMMENSE EXPORT BUSINESS**

**LIFTS WHEAT MARKET IN A HURRY**

Europeans Quickly Take Advantage  
of Saturday's Extraordinary Decline—Corn and Oats Also Gain.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Export busi-  
ness on an immense scale lifted the  
wheat market today in a hurry. The  
outcome was a strong close at 4 1/4  
to 4 3/4 net advance. Corn gained  
1/4 to 3/4 to 5/8 and oats 1/4 to 3/8  
to 1/2. Provisions finished unchanged  
to 1 1/2 down.  
It was a case of sudden right-  
about-face with traders in wheat.  
Europeans had been quick to take  
advantage of the extraordinary  
decline here on Saturday. Cash  
sales since then to foreigners were  
said to aggregate as much as 3-  
000,000 bushels, counting what had  
been disposed of here and at other  
interior points and at the seaboard.  
In addition there was lively pur-  
chasing today of the May delivery  
here, with export houses conspicu-  
ous among the buyers. Accordingly  
the market as a whole advanced al-  
most from the very outset. No im-  
portant bear reactions took place in  
wheat, the windup being at nearly  
the highest level of the session. One  
of the chief reasons for the contin-  
ued advance was that dealers who  
had looked for a big falling off in  
the United States visible supply to-  
day were not disappointed. Besides  
it was shown that the Canadian  
visible supply was down to about  
half of what was on hand a year  
ago.

Corn displayed sympathy with  
wheat but was handicapped by the  
stocks in sight being the largest on  
record. Cash sales here were 325-  
000 bushels, mostly to exporters, de-  
spite talk of foreigners re-selling  
at the seaboard. Trans-Atlantic  
call made oats firm throughout the  
day. Country offerings increased  
somewhat on the bulge.

**Chicago Livestock Market**  
HOGS  
Receipts, 54,000.  
Market, weak; 5c to 10c lower.  
Bulk of sales ..... \$6.70 to \$6.80  
Light ..... 6.60 to 6.80  
Mixed ..... 6.55 to 6.85  
Heavy ..... 6.45 to 6.80  
Rough ..... 6.45 to 6.55  
Pigs ..... 5.50 to 6.85

**CATTLE**  
Receipts, 22,000.  
Market, weak.  
Native steers ..... \$5.35 to 8.50  
Western ..... 4.70 to 7.20  
Cows and heifers ..... 3.20 to 7.65  
Calves ..... 7.00 to 10.20

**SHEEP**  
Receipts, 11,000.  
Market, firm.  
Sheep ..... \$6.25 to 7.10  
Yearlings ..... 7.35 to 7.85  
Lamb ..... 7.15 to 8.65

**St. Louis Livestock Market**  
HOGS  
Receipts, 5,700.  
Market, 5c higher.  
Pigs and lights ..... \$6.75 to 7.00  
Mixed and butchers ..... 6.80 to 7.05  
Good heavy ..... 6.90 to 7.05

**CATTLE**  
Receipts, 4,000.  
Market, slow.  
Native steers ..... \$7.00 to 8.50  
Cows and heifers ..... 5.00 to 8.25  
Stockers and feeders ..... 5.25 to 7.25

**SHEEP**  
Receipts, 2,300.  
Market, 15c higher.  
Native muttons ..... \$5.00 to 6.50  
Lamb ..... 8.00 to 8.60  
Yearlings ..... 7.00 to 7.50

**New York Grain Market**  
New York, Feb. 15.—Wheat—  
Spot, strong; No. 2 red, \$1.66 1/2 and  
No. 2 hard, \$1.68 1/2 all rail elevator  
export; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1-  
68 1/2 and No. 1 Northern Manitoba,  
\$1.65 1/2 cfr Buffalo. Futures were  
firmer; May, \$1.65.  
Corn—Spot, firm; No. 2 yellow,  
88 1/2 cfr to arrive.  
Oats—Spot, firm; standard, 65c;  
No. 3 white, 64 1/2 cfr; fancy clipped  
white, 67 1/2 cfr.

**New York Money Market**  
New York, Feb. 15.—Merchandise  
paper, 3 1/2 @ 4.  
Sterling exchange, weak; sixty  
day bills, 47.50; for cables, 48-  
11.35; for demand, 48.1.  
Bar silver, 48 1/2 cfr.



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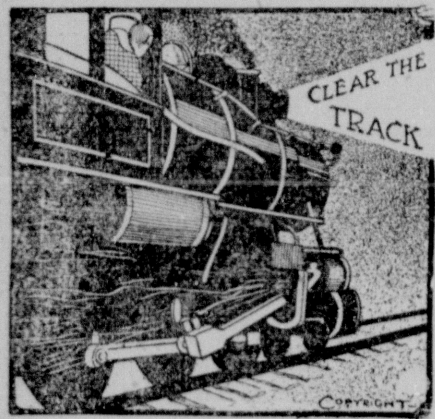
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## MR. PORAWSKI HEADS WELL KNOWN HOSPITAL BOARD

Elected President of Association Managing Wealthy German Institution in Kansas City.

The Jacksonville friends of Frank Porawski will be greatly pleased to learn that at a meeting of the board of directors of the German Hospital association of Kansas City he was elected president of the association for the ensuing year. Mr. Porawski is a brother of Mrs. Geo. A. Moore, 645 East State street. He has taken great interest in charity work in Kansas City and for a number of years has been a member of the board of directors. As a member of the house committee of directors he has been actively interested in the management of the hospital.

The German hospital was organized about 28 years ago for the sole purpose of caring for the sick poor, and during all the years of its existence no officer or member of the association has profited from the operation of the hospital. The association has about 400 members who contribute \$6.00 per year dues to assist the hospital in doing its charity work. The hospital has grown from a residence that was converted into a hospital at the beginning to one with a capacity of 100 beds, and about three years ago erected a very fine wing at a cost of about \$125,000. The capacity is now too small and the directors are planning to build another wing and a nurses' home at a cost of from \$175,000 to \$200,000. This will mean a vast outlay of work and it was because of Mr. Porawski's demonstrated ability as a director that the association has chosen him to direct the affairs of the association for the coming year.

The 25th annual report of the hospital was recently issued and is a booklet of nearly one hundred pages, handsomely illustrated. The subject matter and the half tones indicate that the hospital is modern in every way and that the buildings and equipment are the finest that money will supply.

ASHLAND.

Mrs. Sarah Malone of Prentice and Mrs. Sarah Brown were guests of Mrs. Martha Brown last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Holmes are visiting relatives in Springfield.

Miss Ruth Jones, spent Sunday with home folks here.

Miss Mina Hymes and Miss Wilma Emerich were shopping in Ashland Friday.

Grandma McCready, mother of Will McCready, has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Walbaum and son Clark have gone to Miami, Fla. for an extended visit.

J. D. Turner made a business trip to Springfield Thursday.

Miss Nannie Smith of Atwood, Ill. has been the guest of her cousin J. J. Elmore and wife the past week.

The Ladies Aid will hold a coffee at the home of Mrs. Mattie McCready Thursday afternoon from two till five o'clock.

Dr. Parker and his comedy company gave a week's exhibition at the Lyric theatre. Each evening votes were distributed giving the people a chance to cast their votes for the most popular young lady.

Miss Dorothy Brandt was the winner in the contest, and was the recipient of a handsome rocking chair.

J. G. Fitzhugh has gone to Mt. Pulaski on a business trip.

The Ashland Woman's Club were guests of the Virginia Woman's Club last Thursday.

James Petefish of Litterberry was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown last Friday.

Rev. Ben P. Johnson has been on the sick list the past few days.

The series of meetings which have been going on at the Baptist church closed Friday evening. There were eleven added to the church. The baptismal service was conducted Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson were shopping in town Saturday.

LADIES HUSKED CORN.

The ladies of McKendree Chapel M. E. church of the Concord circuit have purchased a new piano and have been giving entertainments to raise money to pay for the instrument. One of the members of the congregation, C. E. Rice, offered a load of corn to apply to the purchase price of the piano if the ladies would husk it out of the shock. The ladies took up the offer and last Tuesday nine of them came and brought their mittens, husking pegs and dinner and got the load. They worked from ten until two and were rewarded by a load of 42 bushels and fifty pounds which at 70c per bushel brought them \$30.60. It was sold to a farmer in the neighborhood. Those who husked the corn were: Mrs. Katie Stocker, Mrs. Gna. Schone, Mrs. Arthur Burrus, Mrs. Hy. Kuhlman, Mrs. David Giger, Mrs. Grace Carls, Mrs. John Naylor, Mrs. C. O. Bushnell and Misses Pearl Burrus and Verna Hinman. Several of the ladies were rather stiff and lame the next day from their exertions, but that little inconvenience was more than overbalanced by the satisfaction in getting so large a sum of money so quickly.

REMOVE IRON POLE.

A large force of men were busy yesterday replacing an iron pole on the south side of the square, the one removed helping to carry a part of the wires for power for the street railway. It was a strenuous undertaking and required considerable effort to accomplish the work properly.

## FREE JUSTICE FOR THE POOR.

Remarkable Success of New Kansas Court is Related.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 13.—During the first twenty months of the unique Kansas poor man's court, over 800 laboring men and working women have foiled the "dead beats". The report just filed shows that day laborers, washerwomen, clerks, seamstresses, messengers, newsboys and farm hands have been aided by this poor man's court to collect honest dues.

The fight against the "dead beat", begun in 1913 by Associate Justice Dawson of the Kansas Supreme Court, led to the enactment of a law establishing small debtors' courts. Two of these are in operation, one in Topeka and the other in Leavenworth. The court was an experiment, the first of its kind in the United States. And therefore workmen all over the country were anxious to see it work out.

It is believed that the Kansas small debtors' courts are the only entirely free tribunals of justice in the country. Besides doing away with the many fees and expenses of ordinary courts, the methods have been simplified, so that all high-sounding legal technicalities are tabooed, and just plain talk that every workman understands is used. The new court is marvellous in its simplicity; the judge is appointed by the mayor of the town or the county commissioners, and his fitness must be, according to the statute, "some reputable citizen who is sympathetically inclined to consider the condition of the poor, friendless and unfortunate."

In the poor man's court there is little formality. Sessions are held most anywhere, the judge being available at his home or office to settle disputes night or day. Any person unable to pay ordinary court costs, who feels himself unjustly deprived of a sum not exceeding \$25, may call upon the judge and state his case. The judge informally summons the defendant—usually by telephone—and the case is tried without lawyers and with the minimum of formality and friction. Often the mere notification by the judge that a collection has been placed in his hands is sufficient to bring the defendant to time.

While defendants have the right of appeal, it has worked out that nearly all just cases they are willing to settle. The majority of the cases are to recover payments for labor, working men and women finding the new court a great asset in thwarting "dead beats". It is a notable fact that the same defendant has rarely appeared twice, and this indication that the new court is having a healthy effect on honesty is one of the important results achieved.

Judge W. H. Kemper and Judge Eli Nirdlinger of the Topeka and Leavenworth courts respectively report 800 claims settled satisfactorily to all parties. This means not only that these two free courts have prevented this large number of working people from being swindled out of small sums they could ill afford to lose, but it means that in those two cities there are 800 people whose sense of justice has been satisfied—who have been relieved of the retarding and often vindictive belief that all things work against the poor.

"REMEMBER THE MAINE"

Washington, Feb. 15.—On the seventeenth anniversary of the day when the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana Harbor, the annual memorial services in honor of the men who lost their lives are being held today in Arlington national cemetery. The dedication of the Maine memorial, which has been built in the cemetery, has been postponed to Memorial Day.

Today's exercises are under the auspices of the Army and Navy Union. Senator Vardaman of Mississippi and Congressman Kahn of California are the principal speakers. The Spanish War Veterans, the Veterans of Foreign Service and a women's committee on floral decoration are also taking part in the memorial exercises.

The battleship Maine memorial has been erected in conformity with the act of Congress, and is in the form of a battleship turret and mainmast. The granite turret is 14 feet high and 26 feet in diameter. In the panels of the turret the names of those who perished have been engraved. The mast with fighting top weighs over 11 tons. The new memorial has cost about \$55,000, and will be dedicated with appropriate exercises in the Spring.

## COOVER & SHREVE

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In chronic cases of dry, scaly skin diseases, like psoriasis, use both liquid and ointment. Trial size 50c.—Advertisement.

## OUTLINES VARIOUS

USES OF PAPER PATTERNS

Selection of Pattern is Essential in Making of Any Garment—Explanation of How the Goods Are to be Cut.

(By Lurene Seymour, Associate in Household Science, University of Illinois.)

The first question that comes up when undertaking the making of any garment is what pattern to use. The most satisfactory way to make a waist is to buy a perfectly plain pattern with the lines that are in style at the time, and with it is a foundation, to design on the cloth the waist desired. As styles are now, one need a comfortable kimono pattern and one with waist and sleeve separate.

Much time and material may be saved if the pattern is altered by testing it with the body measures. We do not all have figures corresponding to the standards set by the pattern; we may be long or short under the arm, narrow or wide across the shoulders or chest in proportion to our other measures. Cutting the cloth longer or wider is not correct as that is not where the difference in the figure comes. These changes should be made above or below the bust in front, across the shoulders or a little below the arm-holes in the back, for length, and half way between the armhole and middle of the front or back for width. Lay a plait straight across the pattern or cut and separate the pattern at these points in order to make the required change, then make a new pattern.

Test of Sleeve Length.

The sleeve length should be tested from the elbow above and below and the same method used to alter the length or width. If it is necessary to take out fullness only, a plait may be laid in the upper part, which will run out near the elbow. The curve must then be evened off.

Skirts may be changed in the same way, for length, at a point about twelve inches below the waist. The change required at the waist and hips must be divided up among the gores, making no change on the straight side of the gore. If the front is narrow, it is better not to change for fear of spoiling the lines. When only the waist needs altering the new lines must run out at the hip point, which varies from six to eight inches below the waist. A change at the hips means adding or taking off the same amount all the way down the gore.

Fitting of Shoulders.

When our pattern has been corrected in this way, a muslin waist may be cut and fitted for the curve in the shoulder and for other changes that can not be detected in the first testing. Wrinkles on the shoulders are rather puzzling to get rid of. They are usually caused by the shoulders being more square or more sloping than the pattern. If they extend crosswise they may be remedied by cutting out the neck and changing the slant of the shoulder seam by dropping it at the shoulder. If the wrinkles are perpendicular to the seam, the front must be moved farther along on the back and the neck built up to the right length. Round shoulders are helped by moving the shoulder the front underarm and building up the armholes in front, we can get rid of too much fullness in the armhole.

The skirt will be less apt to have defects that have not been removed by carefully testing and changing the waist and hips. Sometimes the front gore sticks out at the bottom. This can be remedied by lowering the front gore on the side gores and along to the top so as to make the seams the same length.

If the pattern chosen is already designed, the directions must be carefully read. There are certain things that are true of all patterns, the most important being the perforations showing the way the pattern must be laid on the cloth. A good rule that helps in doing that correctly is that all parts of the garment that go lengthwise of the garment are lengthwise of the cloth except in the case of collar and belt. These we do not wish to have stretch, so they must be made lengthwise of the cloth.

When two pieces are to be cut from the same part of the pattern, care must be taken that the pattern of the material comes at the same place on both. This, of course, is gained by cutting the second piece from the first instead of from the pattern and having the right sides face each other and match exactly.

Use of Perforations.

The perforations showing the edges which go on a fold of the goods, and the notches which show where pieces go together must be carefully noted. Sometimes it seems as if the notice do not match, but often that is because one edge has been purposely made shorter than the other and it intended to be stretched in order to fit the curves of the body. This is true of the shoulder seam; for instance, the front should be shorter than the back so that in stretching to the same length, the cloth will fit in to the curve of the shoulder.

These few suggestions and a careful reading of the directions on the pattern should make the use of a commercial pattern quite simple.

A BAD ACCIDENT.

Sunday night Fred Tendick, residing in the vicinity of the Point, went up into his hay mow to get feed for his stock when by some means he fell to the floor breaking his right arm above the elbow and bruising himself generally.

John Hall of Sadorus was among the callers on city people yesterday.

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25c Aprons ..... 10c  
35c Aprons..... 14c  
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5.00 Wool Serge Dresses ..... \$1.49

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\$5.00 Sweater Coats..... \$1.49

## Children's Coats

\$4.00 Astrakhan Coats ..... 98c

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\$1.50 Silk Petticoats ..... 59c  
2.00 Jersey Top Petticoats ..... 69c  
3.00 Messaline Petticoats ..... \$1.29

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\$ 5.00 French Coney Muffs..... \$1.98  
5.00 French Coney Scarfs..... 1.69  
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## Middy Blouses

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Extra size Wool Serge Skirts and Broadcloth Coats ..... \$1.98

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What a weak, easily upset stomach really needs is not a digestive aid but a stomach strengthener. Any reliable physician will tell you it's dangerous to continually dose the stomach with peptic digesters and the like. His own prescription will act on the stomach instead. No physician ever wrote a better stomach prescription than that embodied in the famous MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets that Coover & Shreve and most every other druggist in this vicinity sell with the positive guarantee that they must put complete and lasting end to stomach misery or money back.

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gas, belching, burning, bloating, shooting pains, etc., and in a few weeks will put the stomach in such a clear and perfectly healthy condition that it can digest a typical New England boiled dinner without the slightest effort or distress.—Advertisement.

## ASSOCIATION IS RE-NAMED.

The David Prince School Literary and Athletic association will be the name hereafter of the organization which has been known as the "Grammar School Literary and Athletic association." The change was made at a called meeting of the association after the chapel hour Monday forenoon.

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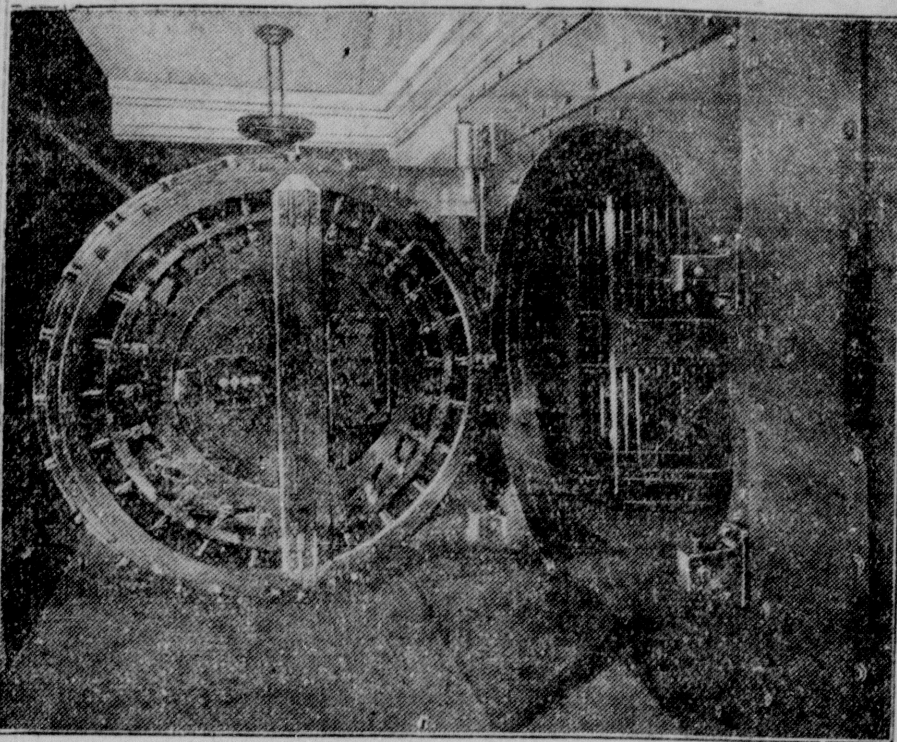


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| 3 cans pork and beans with tomato sauce | 25c |
| Ben Davis apples, per peck              | 25c |
| 8 packages of toilet paper              | 25c |
| 6 bars Kirk White soap                  | 25c |
| 6 bars Sunny Munday soap                | 25c |
| 7 bars Lantz Gloss soap                 | 25c |
| 3 boxes Matches                         | 10c |
| 3 large cans tomatoes                   | 25c |
| 3 large cans peas                       | 25c |
| 3 large cans corn                       | 25c |
| 3 large cans Kidney beans               | 25c |
| 3 large cans string beans               | 25c |
| 4 lbs. navy beans                       | 25c |
| 4 lbs. Japan rice                       | 25c |
| 6 lbs. flake hominy                     | 25c |
| 6 lbs. cracked hominy                   | 25c |
| Loose raisins, per pound                | 10c |
| 2 lbs. prunes                           | 25c |
| Kraut, per gallon                       | 25c |
| 2 lbs. lard                             | 25c |
| 3 large cans of milk                    | 25c |
| 6 small cans milk                       | 25c |

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Cob meal cooked and mixed with alfalfa or clover the same way makes a good feed for milk cows. Silage will also make a good mixture, but chopped shock corn answers nicely, if it is very hot when mixed, with plenty of water in feed.

The Amish people mix their feed at 4 o'clock each morning to feed at sun-up, they put the cookers in their barns on cement floors, and make a fire of double tile, 12 in. and 8 in. with cement between them, to pass through loft. This makes a good room in the barn to mend harness, etc.

Do not feed shelled corn alone to anything. It is too rich when cooked in my cookers, too much digestible protein and oil in it. To anyone who feeds cattle we will ship one on 30 days trial, so it will not cost you a cent to test it and all cattle feeders will find it saves them 1-2 their feed, and hold the gain on hogs commonly obtained with the syrup and oil drawn off the corn made into a slop.

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## IN SOCIETY

### Farewell Party

Near Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoag, living about two and one-half miles east of Woodson, gave a farewell party to about fifty friends and neighbors recently. During the evening dancing was enjoyed and at 3 o'clock oysters were served. It was not until the early hours of morning that the guests departed for their homes, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hoag and family success and happiness in their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Hoag intend to leave for the northern part of the state in the near future.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Will Reynolds and daughter, Viola, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dooling and sister, Miss Betty Dooling, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Megginson and son, Alphy, and daughter, Sarah Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Mayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tazewell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reynolds and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Hite and niece, Miss Dorothy Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Watson and family, Miss Lucille Megginson Isaac Watson, Lloyd Reece and Charles Gumphry, all neighbors; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Alcott and daughter, Katherine, of Arnold; Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Kennitt of Alexander; Miss Hoag of Springfield; Mrs. Atherton of Jacksonville. Music was furnished by Lloyd McGill, Mr. and Mrs. Will Reynolds, Ed Reynolds, Mrs. Kennitt, Mrs. Bennie Smith and Ollie Mayes.

### Gave a Valentine Social.

One of the pleasantest meetings of the Jolly club, south of the city, was held at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Butler, near Woodson, Saturday night, when an oyster supper was enjoyed. The dining room was prettily decorated with St. Valentine tokens. Valentines and games were enjoyed, also a bear contest. William Casey won the first prize and John Harding second. The following families were present: John Harding, John Lewis, Claude Winter, George Barnhart, John Leach, Porter Bell, John Casey, Hugh Vorheese and Miss Minnie Sooy of Murrayville, Mrs. John Turner of Curryville, Mr. and Miss Myrtle Harding of Jacksonville.

### Miss Myrtle Swain

To Wed Clyde Martin.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Myrtle Swain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain, to Mr. Clyde Martin of Litchberry. The ceremony will take place Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, three miles south of Jacksonville.

## MORTUARY

### Kirkman.

Word has just been received in the city of the death of Mr. Z. T. Kirkman, who was born and raised in this city. Mr. Kirkman died at the home of his brother, G. F. Kirkman, Jan. 30, where he had been making his home for a number of years.

He was born near Jacksonville, Ill., March 9, 1849. He had been in ill health for several years. Out of a family of six children this leaves a brother and a sister of Chicago, Ill.

The remains were laid to rest in the Stockton cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Wardell.

### Kirkpatrick.

Word has been received in the city by Robert Cassell of the death of M. Webb Kirkpatrick at his home in Lafayette, Indiana, Saturday. While residing here he was a United States mail clerk on the Wabash railroad. The funeral will be held from his late home this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## WITH THE SICK.

Orville Adkisson is ill at his home, 84 Grove street.

Edgar Wait is again confined by illness to his home on Westminster street.

Mrs. Mary E. Peak, who several days ago was taken to Our Savior's hospital, is improving.

Mrs. George Hughett of North Fayette street has returned from Pittsfield, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, whom she left somewhat improved.

Henry S. Rayburn returned Monday forenoon from Concord where he had been to see his mother, who is very sick at her home there.

P. W. Fox of the Jacksonville Farm Supply Co., is ill at his home on South West street.

James H. Butler, who for the past few days has been ill at his home on West Court street, was able to be at his barber shop Monday.

Mrs. Charles Leake, who has been quite ill with pneumonia at her home on West Lafayette avenue, is now improving in a satisfactory way.

Charles E. Henry, who has been a patient at Our Savior's hospital for a number of weeks, is improving slowly. It is understood that he is to go to Chicago soon with his physician, Dr. J. W. Haigrove, to consult a specialist there.

Milton Long, who recently suffered a paralytic stroke, was taken to Passavant hospital Sunday evening for treatment.

Miss Margaret Dodge of North Diamond street is detained at her home on account of illness.

Ross Long of near Chapin was in the city Sunday visiting his father, Milton Long, who is ill.

Miss Susie Dickinson of Chapin, who underwent an operation recently, is

well, Rev. C. D. Cantrall of Indiana, officiating. A reception will follow the wedding.

### College Hill Club

Held Open Meeting.

The annual open meeting of the College Hill club was held Monday at the home of Mrs. R. P. Joy, 867 West State street and proved a delightful social, musical and literary event. Each member had the privilege of inviting one guest and a company of fifty was the result. Mrs. Marion Tanner being the special guest of honor. Miss Jennie Anderson, president of the club, presided and gave a very interesting review of the work of the past year. Mrs. H. C. Woltman sang a solo with artistic excellence and then two readings by Miss Glecker of Illinois Woman's college were heard with interest.

One selection was especially appropriate to Lincoln's birthday and the other referred to St. Valentine's day. Mrs. Joy and her son, Donald, Joy made large contributions to the pleasure of the occasion with player piano selections. Excellent refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program. The committee of arrangements for the afternoon included Mrs. O. H. Kuebler, Mrs. G. H. Putman and Mrs. Sarah Price.

### Neighbors Plan

Farewell Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fyffe, of South Prairie street, who will move this week to McCook, Neb., were very agreeably surprised last evening when a number of their friends planned a party in their honor. The guests were amply provided with refreshments and the evening was spent in a social way, with games and in a general good time. Among those present were Mrs. W. J. Moore, Miss Pelham, Mrs. Richard Hopper, Mrs. M. McFarland, Miss Orn, Miss Mabel Wyatt, Miss Jean Jenkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Swift and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Taylor and daughter Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franz, Mr. and Mrs. William Franz and daughter Hilma, Mrs. Laura Brown, Mrs. W. P. Waterfield, Miss Mabel Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. William Lucas, Howard Moore and Lance Waterfield.

### Gave Valentine Party.

Miss Maude Brown gave a valentine party at her home on East State street Monday evening in honor of her 19th birthday. The house was decorated in the valentine novelties and the evening was spent in playing games and with music. Delicious refreshments were served. Misses Margaret Steinmetz, Marie and Lena Megginson were among those attending the party from Woodson.

Passavant hospital yesterday is getting along as nicely as could be expected. The attending physicians are Dr. F. M. Roberts of Chapin and Dr. J. W. Haigrove of Jacksonville.

John Van Os is a sufferer with rheumatism. He has been afflicted for some time and fails to improve. Lester McDougall, who has been ill for the past 8 weeks at Passavant hospital is improving.

Mrs. Cowdin, wife of Dr. Fred Cowdin, who had the misfortune to fall on the ice at her home in Springfield and break a leg will be confined to her bed for three weeks longer.

Mr. Bowns, who has been ill at the home of his grandson, Frank Eades on Reid street, is somewhat improved. Mr. Bowns is 82 years of age and is one of the old residents of Morgan county.

W. J. Kumble of Alexander is reported as very ill. He was taken sick Saturday morning and since that time has had very high fever. The physicians have not yet determined the nature of the disease.

## TURKS DEFEAT BRITISH.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—via London, Feb. 16, 12:30 a. m.—A despatch to the News Agency from Bagdad says that in an engagement between the advance guard of the Turkish left wing and British infantry and cavalry, the British withdrew, leaving 17 men dead.

The despatch adds that the right wing of the Turkish army succeeded in advancing as far as the woods near Korao. The Turks, it is asserted, captured 500 camels. Only five Turks were wounded.

## NETHERLANDS SENDS PROTESTS TO GREAT BRITAIN AND GERMANY

The Hague, via London, Feb. 15.—(11:55 p. m.)—The Netherlands has maintained the strictest neutrality by presenting notes of protest at the same moment to Germany and Great Britain regarding the acts of these governments in respectively declaring a war zone of the waters around the British Isles and in using neutral flags.

Diplomats here have been waiting further action of this kind and their expectations were fulfilled this afternoon when it was announced that the Dutch minister at Berlin had been instructed to hand the note to the German foreign office, the other note being communicated to Great Britain at the same time.

There has been much discussion of the dangers to be encountered in the North Sea and Dutch shipping is menaced more than that of any one neutral nation, owing to the large number of Dutch vessels passing through the English channel on the voyage to the Dutch Indies. Dutch shippers appear determined not to change their schedules and the ships will proceed over the usual routes, although with precautions in order to make their navigation clear.

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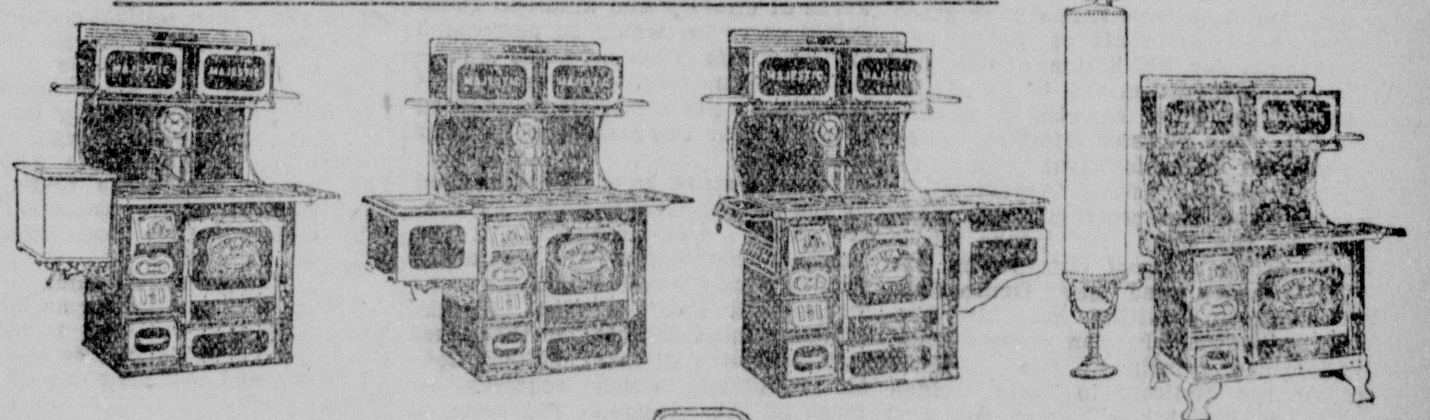
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Rubber Footwear  
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### "ESSENTIALLY AMERICAN", SAYS PASTOR TO KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Speaking on "Golden Age of Knighthood" Rev. M. L. Pontius Tells Pythians That Lodge Stands For Best in Citizenship.

"Fifty-one years ago this month Justus C. Rathbone founded in the capital of the nation the Pythian order," said the Rev. M. L. Pontius Sunday morning to 250 Knights of Pythias assembled at Central Christian church for their annual sermon. "Organized on American soil by true Americans it has ever stood for those principals of peace and progress for which this nation has been distinguished and is in all respects an order essentially American." The minister referred to the standard of achievement which has rendered the name, "America", a synonym for progress and mentioned the stand for peace which will score a signal victory for our Christianity and our Democracy. Commenting further on the harmony between Pythian precepts and American principles, the speaker took his audience to "The Golden Age of Knighthood" and narrated simply that age-long tale of friendship which Damon and Pythias in olden Greece so nobly manifested. In accordance with the Supreme Chancellor's decree for the day was peace Sunday also for the Pythian order and in the church the national colors were used bespeaking peace and patriotism. M. F. Duran and J. J. Reeve, Grand Lodge officers, led the procession which started from Castle Hall shortly before the hour of ten, the officers followed, and then came the members of Jacksonville Lodge No. 152 and Favorite Lodge No. 376 in marching array. A solo by William Kirby, Miss Alma Forsythe playing a violin obligato, was a pleasing feature of the program.

Referring to the Knighthood for which his fraternal brothers stand, Rev. Mr. Pontius said: "In the golden age of knighthood one of the cardinal principals must be friendship. In this life we have but few friends, but were all friends removed how meaningless would the principles of faith and love appear in which we all abide? 'Neath friendship often underlies a solemn duty and our dearest friend is many times our cruellest critic. That man who comes to me with frankest word of censure for my faults, I always try to esteem among my truest friends."

"Optimism must be a characteristic of the true knight and the genuine Pythian optimist must be able to detect the silver lining and to realize that the darkest hour is always followed by the dawn. He

must know that much of discord is but harmony misunderstood and look forward to that golden age of knighthood when character and not gold shall be legal tender and the Christian optimist shall be supreme over all that evil brings forth. "Charity must rank among the qualities that distinguish the knight, a charity which is kind to the brother in distress, which gives the accused the benefit of the doubt, and which is at all times ready to go to the relief of suffering humanity. If the church had done its full duty few fraternal bodies would now exist, for the works of charity and kindness these orders carry on would be performed by Christians without stint, knowing as their Lord hath said that 'True and pure religion undefiled is to care for the fatherless in their affliction.'"

"Purity must ever be cherished by the knight that is true. Personal purity was required in the knightly standards of old, noble manhood was revered and virtuous womanhood was extolled. Knight of today must adhere to this ideal and look with disfavor on that double standard which requires so much of the woman and rests so lightly upon the man. "With this admonition of friendship, optimism, charity and purity I ask all knights to live for the noblest and best and go forward to that far off but fast approaching time when the 'Golden Age of Knighthood' shall be reality indeed."

### PUBLIC SALE.

Of horses, mules, cattle, corn and farm implements, Thursday, Feb. 25, one-fourth mile north of Woodson. L. A. Fitzsimmons.

### MADAM BUTTERFLY TONIGHT

Edmund Mungler of Illinois Conservatory will discuss Puccini's famous opera tonight at the Public Library, illustrating the production by selected records. Many consider Puccini as the successor of Verdi and Long and Belasco's story vivified by the Italian's genius has proved among the most successful operas of recent years. Seven-thirty is the hour announced.

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### SOLOS VARY PROGRAM

Homer Ragsdale in a solo with full band accompaniment and Earl Pond in "The Perfect Day" with cello obligato by Viggo W. Jensen, formed pleasing features of the Jeffries concert band performance at the Grand Sunday afternoon. The receipts from the crowded house totaled about fifty-three dollars.

### INTEREST MANIFESTED IN BAPTIST CHURCH REVIVAL

Pastor Preached From the Subject of Naaman and the Leper Monday Night.

There was a large audience in attendance at the First Baptist church revival Monday night when the pastor, Rev. Percy Stephens preached from the subject, "Naaman, a mighty man, but a leper." In a forceful way he showed the analogy between leprosy and sin and between Naaman's cure and ours. Miss Bird Duncan sang, "There's a hand held out to you," in a telling manner.

At the close of the service several went down to the parlors of the church to the "Red Book" meeting. The Red Book was used by the pastor while he was in charge of the Second Baptist church in Chicago. This booklet sets forth God's plan of salvation in three divisions: (1) Why required; (2) How Acquired; (3) End Desired.

### Tonight's Program.

Tonight will be known as Mission Night and members and friends of the Baptist Mission will be the special guests and will sing one of their special songs. The pastor will preach from the subject, "Certainty, Possibility and Impossibility."

Mr. Lorton will sing a solo accompanying himself on the guitar.

The services Sunday, both morning and evening were large attended and deeply spiritual. The pastor preached in the morning from the subject, "A King's Lament" and in the evening, "Where Art Thou? Miss Duncan sang in the morning "Harden Not Your Heart."

### PUBLIC SALE.

Smith and Stone will sell 14 head horses, 19 head cattle, 40 head shoats and the great shire stallion Perseverance at their sale 2 1/2 miles southwest of Chapin, Tuesday March 2.

### FINAL NOTICE.

Several applications have been made for all past due accounts on our books. Past due accounts not paid by Feb. 25, 1915, will be placed in the hands of our attorney for collection.

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### THE ALPHA SOCIETY.

"Alpha Literary Society" was selected Monday by the second of the Third Ward organizations to choose a name. The pupils of the Franklin and Morton schools hereafter in formal literary activity will be members of the Lincoln or Alpha Literary societies. "Reliance Society" and "Students' Council" were the other titles considered.

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### MINY HONOR MEMORY OF LATE JOHN C. PYATT

Funeral Was Held Sunday Afternoon at Christian Church—Rev. M. L. Pontius Paid Fitting Tribute.

The funeral of the late John S. Pyatt was held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 at Central Christian church. Mr. Pyatt had been so long a resident of Jacksonville and had such a large number of friends that many gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to his memory. The services were in charge of Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of the church, and were brief but of very impressive kind. Music was supplied by a male quartette including Messrs. C. L. Mathis, Alexander Campbell, Roy Harney and R. H. Peck, and they sang several hymns which had been favorites of Mr. Pyatt.

Mr. Pontius said that soon after coming here last fall he met Mr. Pyatt, and in a long conversation was greatly impressed with the spirit of optimism which breathed through all his utterances. The minister also referred to having just read a letter received from a resident of Texas who had been a life long friend of Mr. Pyatt, and he said that this letter was one of the strongest testimonials of friendship that he had ever read.

Mr. Pontius took as a foundation for very brief remarks a portion of Revelations referring to the length and breadth and height of the Eternal City, which he said was used in a figurative way. He then went on to talk about the length, breadth and height of the human life. The length of life is characterized and measured much by its outlook, by the reaching out of the individual; the breadth of life is measured somewhat by the spirit of altruism which man may show, the interest he may have in those outside his own immediate circle, and the height of a man's life is characterized by his upreaching spirit, the effort he may make to get hold of God's hand.

Mr. Pontius said that the length and outlook of Mr. Pyatt's life was proven by his long and honorable business career and by the family he had reared; that his life had breadth was shown by the great number of his friends, for it was related of him that he formed friendships readily and that they were of the lasting type; the height of the life of the deceased was given evidence by the firm faith he had in eternal things, the faith that he often testified to and which remained with him until the closing hour of his long and useful life.

At the close of the services the cortege moved to Jacksonville cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. W. E. Veitch, George M. Blair, Benjamin Wood, F. L. Sharp and J. W. Lane, of Jacksonville, and Daniel Smith of Barry. There was a great profusion of flowers and these were cared for by Miss Jeanette Leck, Miss Josephine Pratt of Jacksonville, Mrs. Katie Moulton and Miss Jaroline Cheaney of Petersburg.

### Bambrack.

Funeral services for Joseph J. Bambrack were held at the residence, 997 Sherman street, Sunday afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. Myron H. Pontius, pastor of the Central Christian church, had charge of the services, and paid high tribute to the deceased, especially as to his industry and his true character. Appropriate music for the occasion was furnished by Mrs. Wallace Brackman and Miss Cora Graham, with Miss Mary Dewese as accompanist. The flowers were cared for by Miss Mabel Welch, Mrs. Frank Kaule, Miss Margaret Coffman and Miss Martha Coffman. The bearers were Herbert Frye, Charles Nunes, Daniel Babin, Michael Hopper, Michael Clancy and William Baker. Interment was made in the East cemetery.

### Seymour.

The funeral of Mrs. Arthur Seymour was conducted from the Providence church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, in charge of Rev. J. W. Kittie. Music was furnished by the church choir and the flowers were a charge of Mrs. Delbert Sublett, Miss Bertha Kelly and Miss Catharine Johnson.

Interment was made in the Providence cemetery and the bearers were Messrs. Scott Tranbarger, Thomas Donahue, Michael Johnson, Delbert Sublett, Henry Smith and Joseph Sevier.

### Perry.

Funeral services for the late Col. Henry Perry were held Monday morning at eight o'clock at the Church of Our Savior, with the Rev. F. F. Formaz in charge. The pall bearers were Daniel Babin, Arch Norris, William Jackson, L. B. Haynes, George Wright and Alexander Howard. Interment was made in the East cemetery. A large number of persons attended the services.

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### D. O. K. K. S. PREPARE FOR BIG CELEBRATION

Hiderim Temple No. 62, D. O. K. K. is making elaborate preparations for the ceremonial to be held Monday night Feb. 22, Washington's birthday. Invitations have been sent to each votary and it is desired that all answer so that an estimate can be made as to the number of plates necessary for the dinner de luxe to be served at 6. The caravan will move promptly at 4 o'clock. Monday, March 1 will occur the big D. O. K. K. and Jeffries band festival at the Opera house. At the regular drill last night John Sheppard presented each member of the team with a pair of Kayser leatherette white gloves. Mr. Sheppard is a member of McCarty's Arabs.

John Pate and J. W. Woods were in Springfield Monday purchasing horses of William Childers.

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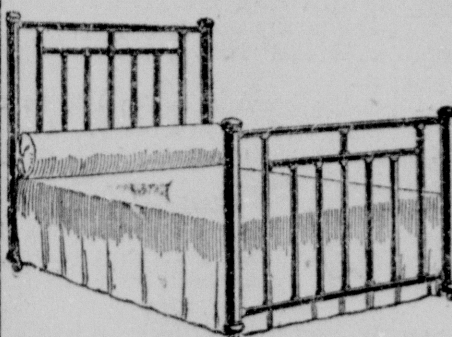
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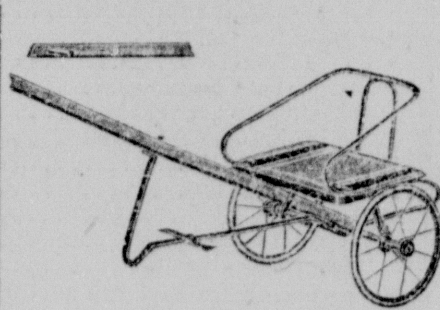
### Great 17th Semi-Annual Sale--4th Week Began Monday

It should prove more interesting than the weeks just past, judging from the unusual values offered and the many new arrivals of spring goods, which go unreservedly in this sale—goods that have not been shown before. This is true both in rugs and furniture. These facts should make this the BANNER WEEK.

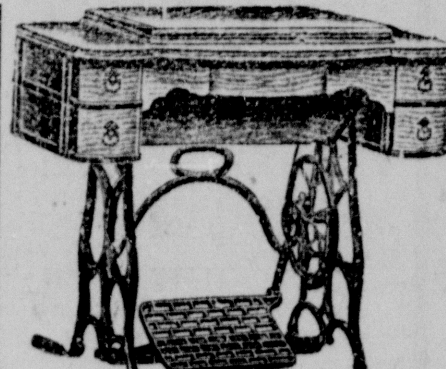
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| 9x12 seamless Tapestry Brussels Rug.....                                                      | 7.75    |
| 30x60 in. all wool Smyrnas, splendid wearing rugs, values up to \$4.00, at each .....         | 2.00    |
| 36x72 in. all wool Velvet Rugs, bright colors, usual price \$3.50, at .....                   | 2.50    |
| 11-3x12 extra size Tapestry Brussels Rug, all wool nap .....                                  | 13.95   |
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